

## TAKES HIS WORLD'S FAIR PICTURES OFF MEMORIAL WALLS

Albert Von Hoffmann Recovers Them After 2-Year Dicker With Exposition Company.

### WAITED FOR HIS MONEY

Paintings Show Eight Principal Buildings and Scenes at the Louisiana Exhibit.

Eight oil paintings of the principal buildings and scenes of the St. Louis World's Fair, said to be the only one of the kind in existence, have been recovered by Albert von Hoffmann from the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Co., after two years of effort on his part. Von Hoffmann, who is a publisher of telephone directories, bought the paintings several years ago in Chicago from a commercial house, which had acquired them from the painter, James R. Key. They were the original paintings from which colored supplements were reproduced by the Post-Dispatch in the World's Fair period. Von Hoffmann paid \$400 for the eight paintings, and \$30 for having them framed, and brought them to St. Louis.

Exhibited in Art Museum. He put them on exhibition in the Art Museum, where directors of the Exposition company saw them and admired them so much that they determined to buy them. Von Hoffmann agreed to sell the pictures to the Exposition company, to be exhibited in some public place, at what they cost him, and the company passed a resolution two years ago, appropriating the money.

Von Hoffmann waited and waited for his money, and made many demands for payment. He had about decided that the World's Fair Co. did not wish to take the pictures and renewed his claim on them.

They were exhibited in the Francis room of the Art Museum, with World's Fair relics. A few weeks ago Von Hoffmann went out to the Art Museum to show his collection of World's Fair paintings to a friend. They were gone. At Jefferson Memorial.

After considerable inquiry, he found that the pictures, without his knowledge, had been removed to the Jefferson Memorial. Von Hoffmann and his friend hastened to the Jefferson Memorial, but could not get in that day.

Von Hoffmann renewed his demand upon Secretary Stevens of the World's Fair Co. for the return of his pictures. Stevens sent word to him that Gov. Francis would like to buy the pictures for \$300.

This offer was not satisfactory, and he went forthwith to the Jefferson Memorial, took down his eight paintings and removed them to his office in the Price Building.

### BABY PLAYING WITH PIPE IS KILLED BY NICOTINE

Two-Year-Old Lad Puffs in Imitation of Father and Poison Causes Convulsions. SOUTH NORWALK, Conn., June 12.—A discarded pipe was given as a plaything to a child here today, and an hour later he was dead of nicotine poisoning.

Harold, 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Thornfield, New York, had been spending a few days with Mrs. Thornfield's brother, Harry J. November. Mrs. Thornfield and Mrs. November were rummaging among keepsakes in the attic. An old meerschaum pipe was found. Harold crept for it, and the mother, having no suspicion of danger, gave it to him.

Sitting on the floor and clapping his hands, the child imitated his father, puffing the pipe in his mouth and puffing out imaginary smoke. Within 15 minutes he toppled over in convulsion, which shortly gave way to coma. Several physicians were summoned, but they were helpless to stay the ravages of the nicotine.

### ELECTION ON RIGHT OF DOGS TO RUN AT LARGE.

Referendum Results in Kansas Town When Commissioners Pass Anti-Jail-at-Home Act. IOLA, Kan., June 17.—The right of a dog to run at large will be the subject of a referendum election to be held in Iowa within 30 days.

Some time ago the City Commissioners passed an ordinance providing that no dog harbored within the city limits should be permitted to run at large or use the streets of the town except for a few weeks in winter. The commissioners also imposed a heavy dog tax.

Owners of dogs appealed to the commissioners without effect. At a mass meeting a petition for a referendum on the order was drawn up. It was returned with 800 signatures, more than 25 per cent of the voters. Under the law the commissioners are compelled to call an election within 30 days.

### FLIES 111 MILES AN HOUR

French Aviator Makes Remarkable Acroplane Flight. RENNES, France, June 17.—Maurice Prevost, a French aviator, today made a remarkable flight in an aeroplane, flying at an average speed of 111 miles an hour.

## 6 SUFFRAGETTES AND A MAN ARE SENT TO PRISON

Man Gets Heaviest Punishment, 21 Months; Two Recommended for Clemency Get 6 Months

### THREATEN HUNGER STRIKE

Chemist Accused of Making Bombs and Conspiring With Women to Destroy Property

By Associated Press. LONDON, June 17.—Six of the most prominent leaders of the militant suffragettes' organization and a man, one of their supporters, were today found guilty at the Central Criminal Court of conspiracy to commit malicious damage to property. The trial has lasted several days.

The women were officials of the Women's Social and Political Union. They were sentenced to hard labor as follows: Miss Harriet Kerr, 12 months; Miss Agnes Lake, six months; Miss Rachel Barrett, nine months; Mrs. Beatrice Saunders, 15 months; Miss Anne Kenney, 15 months; and Miss Laura Lennox, 6 months, while the man was Edwy Clayton, an analytical chemist, got 21 months.

Jury Favored Clemency. The jury had heard in a recommendation for mercy in the cases of Miss Lake, Miss Lennox and Miss Barrett.

Each defendant was ordered to pay one-seventh of the costs of the prosecution and was bound over to keep the peace for a year after the period of imprisonment.

With the exception of Mrs. Saunders all the women loudly proclaimed their intention of going on a "hunger strike." An impassioned speech in defense of the outrages committed by militant suffragettes was delivered by Miss Kenney.

"If I have got to die to get the vote," she said, "I will die willingly, whatever the verdict of the jury today." Miss Kenney asserted that the action of the Ulster Unionists and the speeches of Cabinet Ministers, who, she said, had asserted that the unenfranchised were justified in rebelling in order to get their grievances remedied, furnished ample warrant for the course pursued by the militant suffragettes.

Why She Is Suffragette. "As for myself, I belong to the working class," she said. "At the age of 19 I was a half-timer in a factory. I joined the suffrage movement because of the terribly cruel conditions under which women worked in the British Isles."

"I am a rebel and a rebel I shall remain until women receive the vote. I, like Miss Davidson, it should be necessary to sacrifice my life, then I shall gladly die."

### NEW FACTORY, JUST FINISHED, IS BURNED

William Medart Thinks Toy Balloons Set Fire to His Patent Pulley Plant.

A new factory building on which the finishing touches had been put Monday was destroyed by fire at 305 De Kalb street at 3 a. m. Tuesday. The building, a two-story brick structure, was to have been used by the Medart Patent Pulley Co. as a factory for gymnasium supplies.

Adolph Gerbs of 147 President street saw flames in the building and turned in an alarm. The damage is estimated at \$25,000. The cause of the fire has not been determined, but William Medart said he thought it may have been caused by small balloons, a number of which had been sent up in the neighborhood in the evening.

### HEAT WILL CONTINUE WITH FAIR WEATHER

THE TEMPERATURES.  
8 a. m. 72 10 a. m. 78  
12 m. 82 2 p. m. 85  
4 p. m. 88 6 p. m. 82  
8 p. m. 78 10 p. m. 72

Yesterday's Temperatures.  
High. 85 at 6 p. m. Low. 73 at 6 a. m.



"I don't care how hot it is."

"I wish I had one." Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Generally fair and continued warm tonight and Wednesday. Stage of the river: 16.5 feet; a fall of 4 of a foot.

Missouri—Generally fair and continued warm tonight and Wednesday.

Illinois—Generally fair tonight and Wednesday.

Ohio—Generally fair tonight and Wednesday.

## Some of the Telephone Girls Who Are on Strike



MISS MAZIE FOREST... Who says she was slapped by District Manager when she went into Cabany exchange to tell girls strike was on.

### SIX COUNTRYMEN ATTEND CHINESE "SUICIDE PARTY"

They Gather at Laundry, Feast, Then Watch Him Shoot Himself With Revolver.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., June 17.—Arrested for murder, six Chinese sedately shook their heads and said calmly that not by the Rising Sun had they any land in the death by bullet wound in the head of Ho Why, a laundry proprietor.

But this was transcendently true; they had been the guests of privilege at Ho Why's suicide party. They had, as by honorable custom, ordained in the writings of Confucius, sat and watched their brother kill himself, "honorably," they said; shoot himself in the head and "honorably" die.

There are other older Chinese methods that he might have used. There was the method of the golden disc. One took a thin disc of gold and placed it on his tongue. A swift intake of breath and the disc slipped swiftly back and closed the windpipe and that was the end, a most honorable end, much used by the mandarins.

Used Poisoned Revolver. But Ho Why was modern, or, as Ling Dope, one of the witnesses of his death, said, "He likes to be an American style." He used a revolver with a highly polished nickel barrel.

Ho Why had been in this country 20 years. He had done much over the washbuds. He had sent much money back to China to the glorification of his ancestors, the aid of his relatives and the support of the revolution. But he said enough of a great deal, had become woefully thin, and he knew that his revered ancestors awaited his coming. And also he had been a failure, he had no son.

Under such circumstances it was perfectly "honorably" to die. With Ho Why the act was to be no secret thing. It was that which a Chinese of mettle and spirit would perform. As if to his funeral, he invited his best friends. Shu Nan, Lee Don and Hong Jan came from New York; Charlie Sen Ling Dope and Charlie Lee of this city received each a summons in dignified, unemotional language turned off with neat and steady strokes of a camel's hairbrush. They were invited to Ho Why's laundry. All were there.

Ho Why carefully had drawn the curtains of his shop window facing the street. The friends greeted him with smiles and went into the rear room. Ho Why acted as host at a formal, but pleasant dinner—a dinner in which the pink-tinted dishes of Anhwei were completed by chopsticks of ivory.

Police Release Six Men. After they had feasted, Ho Why arose and laid down his fan. He went to a little cabinet in the rear of the room. And when he returned from it he bowed, holding now and then the revolver of the shining barrel. His friends were lighting pipes with long thin bamboo stems and tiny silver bowls. They watched him as he placed himself quite rigidly upon a stool.

Ho Why put the revolver muzzle against his heart temple. His friends removed the pipe stems from their lips expectantly. The shot was fired. His friends watched him sink in death, looked at one another, nodded, puffed again and then Shu Nan got up and caught Ho Why's body lest it should fall to the floor.

Patrolman Marshall smashed his way in from the street and arrested the guests of the "suicide party," but when the six Chinese had explained they were released. Ho Why had done as his father would have him do; his friends had done as a Chinese's friends should.

STRIKERS TELLING POLICEMEN THAT TELEPHONE GIRLS ARE NOT ALLOWED TO LEAVE THEIR WORK...



THREE PRETTY STRIKERS.

## MOTHER CHARGES WOMAN NEIGHBOR BEAT HER CHILD

Mrs. Louise Anderson Seeks Arrest of Mrs. Steele; Both of Lucerne Apartments.

A police court summons has been issued for Mrs. Sherman Steele of the Lucerne Apartments, Taylor and McPherson avenues, on the complaint of Mrs. Louise Anderson, who resides at the same apartments, and who says her daughter, Marie, 10 years old, was beaten and choked by Mrs. Steele last Wednesday.

Mrs. Anderson told a Post-Dispatch reporter that the trouble started three weeks ago over some flower seed her little girl had and which Mrs. Steele wanted. Mrs. Steele has left the city. Her neighbors said she had gone away for the summer.

Tells of Girl's Injuries. "My little girl was hysterical after the assault," said Mrs. Anderson. "Her ears and throat were swollen until she could hardly speak. I was compelled to sit up with her two nights."

"Marie had some lavender seed which Mrs. Steele wanted. She gave Mrs. Steele some of it and Mrs. Steele snatched the rest and ran up stairs. Marie ran after her and when she was near the top Mrs. Steele turned and threw the seed in her face."

"The trouble grew when Mrs. Steele tried to prevent Marie from sitting on the benches on the McPherson side of the apartments. Marie told me about it, but I did not pay any attention. Things went along until last Wednesday evening, when Marie went out to play. She and other children in the apartments, usually goes through the janitor's quarters when she wants to come to the rear stairs."

Says Rope Choked Her. "Just as Marie got inside the building she was seized by Mrs. Steele and beaten. Mrs. Steele put a rope around her neck and choked and slapped her." The police have not been able to serve Mrs. Steele with the summons, as she went away a day or two after the trouble. Mrs. Anderson said she was determined to prosecute Mrs. Steele and that she would wait until the latter returned to St. Louis and then get a new summons if necessary.

## DROUTH GIVEN AS CAUSE OF CLOSING OF ILLINOIS BANK

All Crops Except Wheat Reported Destroyed in Rich Section Around Bunker Hill.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. BUNKER HILL, Ill., June 17.—The drouth, which has destroyed all crops except wheat, in one of the richest farming sections of Illinois, is given as the cause of the suspension here of the Belt Bros. & Co. bank which had been in successful operation for 32 years.

A committee of depositors appointed to examine the books has found that the bank's assets amount to \$114,000. The liabilities have not been fully checked up. J. H. Belt, sole owner of the bank, says sufficient funds will be found to pay all depositors.

The bank practically was closed last Friday when depositors who attempted to withdraw were told that the time lock on the safe was out of order and the vault could not be opened.

Saturday the doors of the bank remained closed and the true condition of affairs was revealed. The stockholders' committee which took charge of the bank's books Monday is made up of former Mayor James Jencks, Mayor I. E. Sanford, W. J. Fahnenberg, druggist, and T. Albert Baker, insurance agent. This committee is expected to make its report Wednesday.

Bunker Hill has a population of 1100 and is about 50 miles northwest of St. Louis.

### HOW BELL DEvised PHONE

Was Inspired by Efforts to Relieve Deaf and Dumb Relatives. WASHINGTON, June 17.—Addressing a graduation class of the Western High School, Dr. Alexander Graham Bell said:

"My dream as a youth was to be a musician. But the plans all went away and because some members of my family were deaf and dumb, I became a teacher of the deaf and finally a trainer of teachers of the deaf. "It was my study of the mechanics of speech that led to the invention of the telephone."

## AMERICAN WOMAN ENDED LIFE BY GAS, VERDICT IN LONDON

Mrs. Viola McKenna Hudson of Chicago Left Will Scribbled on an Envelope.

By Associated Press. LONDON, June 17.—"Suicide while temporarily insane" was the verdict of the Coroner's jury at the inquest today, at Westminster, on the body of Mrs. Viola McKenna Hudson of Chicago, who was found dead from asphyxiation by gas in her flat near Victoria Station.

The evidence indicated that she was in temporary financial straits. She borrowed some cash on Saturday last in order to cable to the Northern Trust Co., Chicago, for money. She left a will scribbled on an envelope, bequeathing \$200 to an Oxford undergraduate named George Herbert and another like sum to Bertha Belle Ferguson, New York, and the remainder to "my beloved daughter, Viola Hudson, 4123 Prairie avenue, Chicago."

Mrs. Hudson, pretty and 36 years old, was found dead by the house-keeper of the Mansions on Sunday evening in the kitchen of the flat. The gas stove burner had been turned on.

Mrs. Hudson Was Divorced Wife of Chicago Contractor. CHICAGO, June 17.—Mrs. Viola McKenna Hudson, who was found dead in her flat in London, was the divorced wife of William Hudson, president of the contracting firm of Hudson & Co. Eugene Keeler, brother-in-law of Mrs. Hudson, said relatives here had been informed of her death.

### ENDS 1000-MILE FLIGHT

Parisian Reaches St. Petersburg: Will Fly Back Again. ST. PETERSBURG, June 17.—A 1000 mile trip by aeroplane—from Paris to St. Petersburg—was completed today by the French aviator Marcel G. Brindeponc des Moulins, who covered the last 300-mile lap of his journey in three and one-half hours, in the face of a strong wind.

The Russian Aero Club presented him with a silver vase. He will return to Paris by aeroplane, via Helsinki, Stockholm and Copenhagen.

## BELL PHONE STRIKE ON; GIRLS SAY 205 QUIT; COMPANY, 71

Employers Prepare to Fill 135 Vacancies—International Union Vice-President, on Ground, Hopes 600 Will Walk Out, as "Nearly All Voted for Strike."

## TEST CALLS SHOW SERVICE IS NOT GREATLY IMPAIRED

Officials Deny Girls Were Locked in at Downtown Exchange—Strikers Go to Roof of Four-Story Building to Wig-Wag Signal of Walkout—Girl Charges Manager Slapped Her.

A statement was given out at the general offices of the Bell Telephone Co. at 2 o'clock this afternoon that 71 girls had quit work in the operators' strike, called a little after 10 a. m. At noon the company had announced the total number of strikers at that time was 39.

At the headquarters of the union in the Mermod & Jaccard Building at noon it was stated that 125 girls had quit. At 2 o'clock the strikers declared 50 more girls had walked out at the Lindell Exchange, on Olive street, near Vandeventer avenue, and that 30 more had quit at the main office.

Careful tests made by Post-Dispatch reporters from the office and from various points about the city disclosed that the telephone service in the city had not been seriously impaired by 2:30 p. m.

It was expected by the company that a crisis in the situation would be reached in the lunch hour, and in the evening. Girls at most of the exchanges did not go out for lunch, however. A grocer carried bread and canned goods to one exchange.

At 1:30 p. m. the company issued a bulletin saying 15 or 20 of the girls employed at the Main exchange at Tenth and Olive streets had quit. Most of them, it was said, quit at lunch time, at the request of discharged girls or strikers from other exchanges.

Kinloch Girls Encourage Them. As the girls being trained at the exchanges stood outside the building, on Tenth street, telephone girls from the Kinloch Building, at Tenth and Locust streets, waved encouragingly to them from the windows.

At the Lindell exchange, Miss Josephine McCormack, chief operator, tried the effect of persuasive words on the girl strikers outside the building at the lunch hour.

"Come on, girls," she said from the steps of the building. "Come back to work. Your places are open for you. You have no real grievance."

"We're strikers," cried a girl in reply, "we're not coming back," and the others applauded.

"We're not working with scabs," called another, and there was more cheering. When Miss McCormack saw her plea had no effect, she went inside.

Men Eased Girl Students. Girl students being trained as substitutes for strikers went in and out with men as their escorts, the police keeping supervision over the sidewalk. No demonstration was made against the prospective strike-breakers. When it was possible, the girl pickets talked with them and tried to dissuade them. The company kept taxicabs at several exchanges to transport operators. A report was made to the police that three of these taxicabs at the South Sidney exchanges were slashed. Two taxicabs took four operators each to the Main exchange at 2 o'clock.

James Noonan, vice-president of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, in charge of the strike, declared the union had a membership of 600 operators and that 36 per cent of them at a meeting last week had voted to quit. Noonan said he hoped to have more than 600 girls out.

At the Bell general offices it was said that not more than 50 operators were expected to quit. The company has made provision to supply 125 or 130 vacancies, according to General Manager Hiss.

He said the company would be seriously crippled if 250 or more went out. At 11:30 a. m. General Manager Hiss gave out the following statement: "Only a small number of the operators have left work today and we are filling their places with other workers. I am disappointed that any should have quit work in sympathy with the persons discharged for incompetency, but appreciate deeply the loyalty of the many who have remained at their posts. Undoubtedly, the service will be somewhat affected by the excitement, but we rely on the co-operation of the public, which we believe, realize the efforts the company has made to be fair with its employees."

43 Quit, Says Advertisement. In advertisements printed in the afternoon newspapers, the company said that 43 out of 50 operators had left the

switchboards during the morning. The notice of the walkout was given by committees of operators sent from the union headquarters in the Mermod & Jaccard Building to each exchange. The company had advance notice of this plan and at most places the girls were refused admittance. This gave rise to some excitement and resulted in an arrest or two and several calls upon the police. In response to complaints from both sides, five detectives were sent to the main exchange at Tenth and Olive streets and patrolmen were sent to other offices. The notification committees had been instructed wherever they were refused admittance to give the strike signal by blowing horns and ringing bells. The committee sent to the main exchange climbed to the roof of a building opposite to wig-wag to the operators a work. The striking operators explained they did not telephone the strike call to the various exchanges because they had no way of being sure whether their messages would be received by sympathizers or by girls who had refused to join the strike movement. They asserted the company removed the information operators from their switchboards Tuesday morning, so that a strike call could be communicated to all the girls at the same time by a sympathetic information operator. Information operators can once connect with all the operators in an exchange and through them it would have been easy to promulgate the strike order if they were in sympathy with the movement. The strikers preferred to give the strike notification through committees which waited until the time for changing shifts and thus had an opportunity to use their powers of persuasion not only on the girls who were going off duty but on those who were about to begin their work.

The greatest excitement reported was at the Cabany exchange. The committee obtained entrance by saying they were operators sent from the main exchange. At noon



## Mrs. Upton Sinclair to Wed Engaged to the Son of Jeweler



MRS.  
UPTON SINCLAIR

He Will Get \$150 a Week By  
Marrying, More When He  
Is a Father.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
KINGSTON, N. Y., June 17.—The engagement of Meta Fuller Sinclair, the divorced wife of Upton Sinclair, to Hughbert Halliwell of Poughkeepsie was announced today to the members of the artist colony at Woodstock, Ulster County.

Halliwell is the son of the late G. W. Halliwell, a Poughkeepsie jeweler, by the terms of whose will he was to receive \$350 a week till he married. After the wedding Halliwell's weekly allowance will be increased to \$150. At the birth of the first child another increase takes place.

Mrs. Sinclair and Halliwell met when both were patients at a sanitarium here

and, according to Halliwell, it was love at first sight. The marriage is to take place in the fall.

Sinclair obtained fame when he wrote "The Jungle." He and his wife separated in August, 1911, when his wife left him for Harry Kemp, a Kansas poet. Kemp met the Sinclairs in Battle Creek, Mich., and at their invitation joined them in their home in a single tax colony at Arden, Del. Early in 1912, Sinclair got a divorce, and soon afterward Mrs. Sinclair left Kemp.

April 21 last, Sinclair and Miss Mary Craig Kimbrough were married at Fredricksburg, Va., and at that time Sinclair announced his intention of living in Holland because American unrest interfered with the development of his literary work. The new Mrs. Sinclair is a descendant of ex-Gov. Bradford of Massachusetts and Robert Williams, a territorial Governor of Mississippi, and is a cousin of John Sharp Williams, United States Senator from Mississippi.

chatting good-humoredly. They declared other girls inside would join their ranks at noon.

At the Tyler exchange, Eleventh and Adams streets, 46 operators were on duty when the strike was declared. Miss Nellie Carter, a discharged employee, with five other girls, tried to enter the building to call out the operators. They found the front door closed and there was no answer to repeated rings at the doorbell. Miss Carter and her companions told reporters that the operators were locked in the building and held prisoners.

A Post-Dispatch reporter was admitted to the building by way of the basement. A man who seemed to be in authority told him that all statements as to whether the Tyler operators were on a strike must come from the company's headquarters.

**Told Not to Drive Non-Strikers.**  
A taxicab drove up in front of the Lindell exchange, 3844 Olive street, at 11:30 a. m. The strike pickets surrounded it and asked the chauffeur what he was there for. He replied he had been called to take some of the operators to their homes for lunch. When he was told a strike was on and that he was expected to haul nonstriking operators, he telephoned to the taxi office.

A few minutes later he said he had been instructed not to carry the nonstriking girls and he drove away. About 10 striking operators who had gathered in the street cheered him.

Two policemen were on special detail in front of the Lindell exchange, but they had little to do, as the men and women strikers were orderly.

Cards were distributed saying the strike had been called because the new management of the company, "imported from New York," had discharged 25 men employees and 23 operators without cause.

About 10 of 15 girls who were to go on duty at 11:30 were induced to join the strikers.

On all the downtown street corners in the lunch hour women and girls were distributing cards calling upon the public to support the strikers.

The card most generally distributed read: "To the telephone subscribers of St. Louis: The Bell Telephone Co. refuses to pay living wages to organized labor of St. Louis, but pays fancy prices to imported strike-breakers as well as Thiel and Pinkerton detectives. They discharge St. Louis girls and men because they join a labor union."

Four strikers outside the Tyler exchange were invited into the home of Dr. R. F. Amyx, 1223 North Eleventh, for luncheon. Mrs. Amyx told them they might drop in at any time they pleased to rest.

**QUICK RESPONSE  
ON TEST CALLS**  
Post-Dispatch reporters find no unusual delay in getting numbers at 11:30 to 12.

Post-Dispatch reporters made test calls through the different exchanges between 11:30 and 12 o'clock, to find if there was any serious impairment of the service caused by the strike. There was some slight delay on some calls, but on the whole the service was satisfactory. The calls and results were as follows:  
Benton 135, Benton Club; operator answered in 4 seconds, Benton Club an-

Our Expansion Sale  
of Oriental Rugs  
Is One That  
Will Delight You



Scuggs-Vandervoort-Barney  
OLIVE and LOCUST from NINTH to TENTH  
In connection with James McCreery & Co., New York

Women's Handkerchiefs  
Women's sheer, pure-linen Handkerchiefs with narrow hem. Each 6 1/2c  
Men's pure-linen Handkerchiefs with 4 1/2-inch hem and with or without initial. 6 for \$1.00  
First Floor.

## Our Great Expansion Sale Offers Unrivalled Values in Seasonable Merchandise from All Over the Store—These are Instances

### Save a Third on Blouses During the Expansion Sale

Our great sale of Blouses, which began last week, will be continued this week and offers you the opportunity to replenish your stock of Blouses at a saving of about one-third. They are made of plain and striped voile and batiste in V, Dutch, square neck and flat collar models.

Most of them are all white and are trimmed with Val. real crochet and Cluny laces and hand embroidery. We offer choice from a variety of styles which open in both the front and the back. We describe four of them.

One Blouse is of fine quality batiste with hand-embroidered front; V neck and trimmed with Val. lace. Value \$3.00, sale price \$2.00.

The second Blouse is of striped voile with flat collar and revers embroidered in Copenhagen blue; hand-embroidered vest of plain voile and short sleeves with cuffs to match. Value \$4.00, sale price \$2.75.

Third Floor.

### Our Expansion Sale of Laces Is Wonderfully Rich in Bargains

That our Expansion Sale is the most opportune time to buy Laces is attested by hundreds of women who are supplying their needs with the season's choicest Laces—all at substantially reduced prices.

Shadow Bohemian, Point de Paris, Fancy Embroidered Dot and Applique Laces in white, cream and ecru. These are in Bands and Edges, many of which match and the widths range from 1 1/2 to 5 inches. The assortment includes sheer, dainty patterns, as well as the heavier qualities, and the values range up to 50c and 50c a yard, sale price 10c and 15c.

New Patterns in Printed Chiffons

Be sure to see the new patterns in Printed Chiffons we are now showing. They have white grounds with beautiful floral designs and large and small rose sprays, as well as other effective patterns in delicate colorings. These are suitable for waists and are quite the newest thing for hat trimmings. 42 inches wide. The yard \$1.25 to \$2.00  
First Floor.

### Art Needlework Useful Articles

Japanese Toweling—white and white print—for Summer-home window curtains, the piece 12 1/2c  
12-inch Napkins of blue and white print Japanese Toweling with hem all around, each 40c  
Porch Lunch Cloths—The 48-inch size—with three-inch hemstitched hem. Sale price \$1.60  
30-inch Covers of Japanese Toweling, each 50c  
18x54-inch Scarfs of Japanese Toweling, each 75c  
Lavender and Old Lace Sachets—moth preventives—trimmed with lace and lavender ribbon and packed in lavender boxes. Three sizes, priced at 35c, 65c and \$1.25  
Porch, Canoe, Hammock and Lawn Pillows made of crepe, India print, cretonne and bandana. Value \$1.25, sale price, 85c  
Sixth Floor.

### Reductions of Sheffield Plate —Values That May Never Be Offered Again

We doubt if we will ever be able to offer again such wonderful values in Reproductions of Sheffield Plate. These pieces have pure copper base upon which the silver has been electrically deposited. Many are buying this ware now for wedding gifts as well as for personal use. In fact, the values are so phenomenal that it will pay you to anticipate your Christmas needs.

Well and Tree Platters in thread and grape designs. Value \$28.00, sale price \$15.00  
Plain Meat Platters, valued at \$18.00, sale price \$12.50  
Plain Meat Platters, valued at \$13.50, sale price \$9.00  
Three-part Vegetable Dishes, valued at \$30, sale price \$13.50  
Two-part Vegetable Dishes, valued at \$12, sale price \$7.50  
One-part Open Vegetable Dishes, valued at \$7.00, sale price \$4.00  
Gravy Boat and Tray in grape design, value \$7.50, sale price \$5.00  
Candlesticks, valued at \$5.00, sale price \$2.75  
Chop Dishes, valued at \$8.00 and \$12.00, sale prices \$5.00 and \$3.00  
First Floor.

## Our Great Sale of Men's Shirts at 85c Continues—Value \$1.25—Be Sure to Attend It

### Expansion Sale of Corsets

Well-known makes of Corsets, made of coutil and batiste. Value \$3.00, sale price \$1.50

Corsets with high or medium bust and long skirt; some made of fancy materials. Values \$4.00 to \$6.50, sale price \$2.50

Imported Parame Corsets of medium length, nicely trimmed with lace and embroidered band. Values up to \$12.50, sale price \$5.00

Imported Parame Corsets and a few S-V-B Elitist Models that were formerly marked \$12.50, at this sale at \$7.50

Second Floor.

### Expansion Sale of Petticoats, Etc.

Women's Gingham Petticoats, formerly priced at \$1.50 and \$2.00, are now offered at 98c

Percale and Gingham Petticoats, valued at \$2.25 to \$3.50, are now priced at \$1.48

Extra-size Swiss Taffeta Petticoats in black; value \$4.50, sale price \$2.95

Silk jersey-top Princess Slips in light blue and lavender. Value \$5.00, sale price \$2.98

A few China Silk Princess Slips in light blue. Value \$5.00, sale price \$3.95

Second Floor.

### Beautiful New Neckwear

Collar and Cuff Sets beautifully embroidered in white and colors, also those made of lace and not suitable for wear with street frocks or house gowns. Prices 25c to \$2.50

Soft, fluffy Fichus of dainty embroidered net and plain nets. Prices 50c to \$2.50

A complete line of Crepe de Chine Windsor Ties in the leading shades of the season. Price 50c  
First Floor.

### Interesting Offers from the Leather Goods Section

You will find our Leather Goods Section one from which you can always depend on making a satisfactory selection from a variety of all that is newest and best for the season. Note these:

Pouch Bags of black moir silk with gunmetal, gilt and nickel frames, lined with white satin and fitted with mirror and purse. Prices \$3.50 to \$7.00

A new lot of Genuine Pin Seal Bags with gunmetal, gilt and nickel frames, fitted with purse and mirror; may be had in all colors. Value \$5.50, sale price \$3.50

Long Strap-handle Purses in black, gray and brown. Value \$1.25, sale price 95c

Pocket Traveling Frames in card sizes, priced at \$1.00 to \$2.25

Pocket Traveling Frames in cabinet sizes, priced at \$1.50 to \$6.00  
First Floor.

Lunch in Our  
Tea Room  
—7th Floor

## Expansion Sale of Hose, Reels and Garden and Lawn Supplies

Every housekeeper will welcome the notable economies that this sale involves in Hose, Reels and Garden and Lawn Supplies.

The Hose Reel illustrated is of bent hard wood and will hold 50 feet of 3/4-in. hose. Value 75c, sale price 39c

Garden Hose—5-ply and 3/4-in. in 50-ft. lengths, guaranteed for two seasons. Value \$7.95, sale price \$5.95

Guaranteed Garden Hose—5-ply, 3/4-in.—complete with couplings and nozzle. Sale price \$3.95

A lot of Children's Garden Sets, consisting of rake, spade and shovel, valued at 20c, sale price 5c  
Lawn Mowers with 9-inch cutting wheels, ball bearing, 4-blade cutting reel. Sale price \$3.95  
Grass Catchers with canvas sides and galvanized bottom; adjustable. Value 85c, sale price 69c  
Grass Shears, made of a good grade of steel; value 25c, sale price 15c  
Lawn Sprinklers, made of brass—simple, efficient and easily attached. Value 75c, sale price 39c  
Basement.

## Mendel Wardrobe Trunks Are Celebrated the World Over

Mendel Wardrobe Trunk covered with hard fiber, bound with hard fiber, solid cold rolled steel trimmings, brass bolts and lock; the inside is faced with rich imitation leather. There is ample space in the wardrobe compartment for 12 gowns; it has a large hat compartment and three large drawers for other wearing apparel. Sale price \$35.00  
Other Mendel Trunks are priced at \$25, \$50, \$55 to \$65

Feather-weight Suitcases

Feather-weight Suitcases made of the best grade of cane with reinforced corners, fine hessian straps, brass bolts and lock; nicely lined with pocket in lid; extra large size and very light in weight.  
24-inch size \$5.00 26-inch size \$5.50  
Basement.

## These Values in Women's Dresses Are Worth the Consideration of All Women

The Costume Section will again present on Wednesday some very special values in women's silk, cotton and linen Dresses. These are well worthy of the consideration of any one who is in need of new garments to complete their Summer wardrobe.

Smart Cossack Linen Frocks—splendidly tailored and trimmed with pipings and buttons. One style in coat effect may be had of blue, tan, pink or lavender linen. Dainty Striped Crepe Voile Frocks in all-white, made on straight lines; collar of white net edged with Irish lace. These Dresses fasten in front and have black velvet girdle. Regular value \$17.50, sale price \$12.50

Figured and Striped Crepe and Voile Dresses in a good assortment of colorings and styles. These have draped or plain skirts and lace and net trimmings. Values up to \$19.50, sale price \$11.75

We are showing many beautiful Shadow Lace and Net Dresses at \$18.75 to \$37.50

Also a special group of French Linen Dresses at \$7.50  
Third Floor.

## An Inexpensive Line of Coats Is Offered at Special Prices

One of the special features of our Expansion Sale and one that even women seeking a thoroughly good coat at a special price, will readily appreciate is the following list:

A very excellent line of inexpensive Automobile Coats. One, in particular, is a full-length, loose fitting coat with large-size armholes and wide sleeves. This coat fastens to the neck and can be worn either open or closed. It has deep cuffs and large patch pockets. It is made of linen in natural, oyster, white and Copenhagen. Special value at \$5.50

Our stock of Sicilienne Mohair Coats for traveling is also exceptionally large. Some are made with loose back, patch pockets and long revers, while others have loose backs belted in and are semi-fitting. Choice of black, blue or gray. Special prices \$12.75, \$15.00 and \$17.50  
Third Floor.

## Buy Automobile Dust Covers of Us and Protect Your Clothes and the Upholstery on Your Automobile.

## Expansion Sale of Wash Goods

40 pieces of fine Crossbarred Dimities with floral and small printings. Value 15c a yard, sale price 12 1/2c

Sheer Voiles in fancy effects as well as plain stripes and figures. This is an excellent material for cool Summer dresses. Value 20c, sale price 12 1/2c

800 yards of Irish Dimities, Mulls, Fancy Voiles, etc., in a good range of colors and printings. Value 25c a yard, sale price 15c

A new Suiting for coats, skirts, etc., closely resembles the popular Crepe Linens and is shown in all the wanted plain colors. The yard 25c  
Second Floor.

## Expansion Sale of Dress Goods

A lot of Fancy Mixtures, Serges, Checks, etc., in light and dark colors, suitable for house dresses, separate skirts, etc. Value 50c yard, sale price 35c

Another lot of those splendid 46-inch Black and White Shepherd Checks—just the right weight for Summer skirts and coats. The yard 50c

Crepe Egypta, all wool and 44 inches wide, in a full range of colors for Summer wear. The yard 75c

Our line of French Challies is the most comprehensive in the West, including, as it does, beautiful floral, Dresden and fancy border designs as well as all the staple effects in light and dark colors. This is an ideal fabric for Summer wear at the seashore and in the mountains. The yard 65c and 75c  
Second Floor.

## It's Surprising

what improvements can be made about the house by the use of a little paint here and there.

Old chairs, old cupboards, old tables and dingy wood-work painted with

The Sherwin-Williams Paints

can change the whole tone of the house.

A different paint for each purpose. Tell us what you want to paint and we'll tell you the right paint to use.  
Basement.



## SENATOR DEFENDS VARIOUS LOBBIES AS WITHIN RIGHTS

Smith of Michigan Says Labor  
Exemption From Prosecution  
Is the Work of One.

BILL IS BEFORE WILSON

Says Forces for Interests Often  
Are Unwise, But Rights Can't  
Be Questioned.

By Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, June 17.—Senator William Alden Smith of Michigan declared before the Senate Lobby Investigating Committee today that the clause in the sundry civil bill, now awaiting President Wilson's signature exempting labor unions and farmers' organizations from prosecution under the Sherman anti-trust law, represented the work of a lobby.

"The American Federation of Labor," he declared, had lobbied for the exemption, although Samuel Gompers, the Senator said, had admitted to him that it was class legislation, a term former President Taft applied in vetoing the bill last spring.

"Says Gompers Admitted It."  
"The very bill on the President's desk this morning," he said, "was put through by a lobby of labor organizations. They know there is class legislation in it. Samuel Gompers admitted to me it was class legislation, and that is the kind of lobby I think exists."

"Of course, the American Federation of Labor has a lobby here. I don't condemn it. They have a right to be here; so have the sugar people and the steel people and the others."

"In everything I have done here, I have encountered the lobby. It doesn't do me any harm. I encountered it in the Titanic investigation and the Mexican revolution."

Senator Smith added he knew John Norris of the "newspaper people," who had been here for free print paper.

"He was for it and I was against it," said the Senator. "I own a paper, but I'm more of a protectionist than a newspaper man." He added that the "temperance people" had maintained a lobby in Washington.

"You don't attach any odious significance to the lobby, do you?" asked Senator Walsh.

"Obstinate, Often Unwise."  
"I don't. It is obstinate and often unwise, but these people have a right to be here and be heard."

Senator Smith said he approved of the use of influence by Presidents. He said that every President since Cleveland had undertaken to influence legislation and added if he had been in the White House he would have done the same thing.

**MIDNIGHT SPEECH BY  
T. R. AT BUNKER HILL**

Declares for Peace and a Big  
Navy at Opening of 138th  
Anniversary Celebration.

BOSTON, June 17.—The biggest "night before" in the history of the Charles-town district preceded the booming of cannon and the ringing of bells in the beginning today the celebration of the 138th anniversary of the battle of Bunker Hill. Midnight speeches were made by former President Theodore Roosevelt, Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels and United States Treasurer John Burke, former Governor of North Dakota.

Col. Roosevelt favored a peace policy combined with a big navy.

"I will never," said the Colonel, "consent to arbitrate national questions. I will honor and national interest. What is more I know my countrymen will not consent. Uncle Sam will never arbitrate a slap in the face and in the last resort the navy is Uncle Sam's punch."

"It is not necessary for us to appeal to the supreme arbiters of war, but it is necessary to show in times of peace the qualities which the men showed who won our independence for us and founded this Government."

**JOHN D. AN EARLY READER**

Gets Coachman Out for Morning  
Papers at Dawn.

NEW YORK, June 17.—John D. Rockefeller is taking unusual interest in the New York morning newspapers. His coachman is aroused at 4:30 every morning to get them. Commenting on his early trips, the coachman said: "When I can't get the papers early enough for Mr. Rockefeller. The other morning he was so anxious that he had walked halfway down the road to meet me. Mr. Rockefeller is getting up about sunrise."

Recently Rockefeller wanted brook trout for breakfast and the coachman had to wake up a Tarrytown marketman at 5:30. Arrangements are being made for his return to Cleveland about June 23.

**WIRE FOR CAT KILLS HIM.**

Youth Electrocutted By Device  
to Protect Chickens.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., June 17.—Harold Whitlock, 18 years old, was killed last night when testing an electric contrivance he had arranged to kill cats which had been eating chickens at a neighbor's home.

Whitlock had rigged up an electric wire across the top of a chicken fence which he connected with a dynamo in the house. When trying to ascertain whether it would do the work intended he accidentally completed the circuit and fell dead.

**Sculptor's Grandson Poisoned.**  
CORNISH, N. H., June 17.—Harold St. Gaudens, 2-year-old grandson of the late Augustus St. Gaudens, the famous sculptor, is dead at the St. Gaudens summer home as a result of swallowing a poison tablet which he found in a bureau drawer.



# Home Furnishings Reduced 40 Cents

Here's the greatest sale of kitchen and household necessities ever held in St. Louis. The greatest variety ever offered is involved, and the prices are the lowest ever made. 750 lockers for the convenience of our employes have been installed adjacent to and taking up part of the space devoted to these lines. Consequently we have no alternative—we are forced to reduce this stock. Look through this list—note this illustration—remember this is a new, clean, fresh stock. Come expecting the best bargains you have ever had, but take our advice and come early.

<b>25 and 35 cent metal Serving Trays,</b> in nickel, brass and copper-plated effects; all boxes 15¢ <b>15¢</b> <b>\$1.00 Berlin Stew Pots and Dish Pans,</b> in large sizes of the best triple-coated enamel ware..... <b>68c</b>	<b>50-cent Teapots, of the best triple-coated enamel ware; special in this sale at.....</b> <b>19c</b> <b>25 to 50 cent slightly chipped Blue-ware pieces; of all kinds; choice in this sale at.....</b> <b>10c</b>	<b>Extra—35-cent granite Stew Pots,</b> with heavy retinned lids with strap handles; in two different sizes, including lid; in this sale at..... <b>9c</b>	<b>25-cent St. Regis fruit and vegetable Sifters; special in this Alteration Sale at just.....</b> <b>12c</b> <b>\$12.50 to \$16.50 Kitchen Cabinets,</b> complete throughout; choice of any in this sale at..... <b>\$8.50</b>	<b>10-cent cake Swissallu Cleanser, for aluminum ware; special in this Alteration sale at 6 for.....</b> <b>10c</b> <b>Samples of \$3.25 to \$4.75 Clothes Hampers; choicest qualities; in this sale at.....</b> <b>\$1.98</b>
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<b>Lot No. 1—Enamel Ware.</b> <b>15c</b> 25-cent Lipped Saucepans..... 25-cent Mixing Bowls..... 25-cent Fry Pans..... 25-cent Preserving Kettles..... 25-cent Water Buckets..... 25-cent Wash Basins..... 25-cent Chambers..... 25-cent Coffee Pots..... 15-cent Aluminum Skillets; number 3 size; special in this sale at..... \$2.49 set of 3 Saucepans, 99¢ pure aluminum; 3 and 5 quart sizes..... \$1.70 set of 3-piece Aluminum-ware lipped Saucepans..... 15-cent Carpet Beater; made extra strong; special Wednesday, at..... 10c Regular 19-cent Velvet Sponges, for cleaning; special..... 11c 25-cent Crystalline Window Cleaner; special..... 10c 10-cent white Tar Flakes, and white Tar and Cedar Chips, at..... 5c	<b>Lot No. 2—Granite Ware.</b> <b>25c</b> 45-cent Stew Kettles..... 40-cent Double Boilers..... 40-cent Safety Saucepans..... 40-cent Roasters..... 40-cent Fryers..... 40-cent Preserving Kettles..... 40-cent Bread Raisers..... 40-cent Baby Bath Basins..... 40-cent Dishpans..... \$1.85 to \$2.75 Clothes Hampers; are samples; choice..... \$1.00 \$4.50 to \$6.75 Clothes Hampers; every one imported; special at..... \$2.50 \$1.50 Ironing Boards; extra strongly made; special at..... 95c \$27.50, \$25 and \$24 Kitchen Cabinets; splendid quality, at..... \$17.50 The best \$30, \$33, \$34.50 and \$35 Kitchen Cabinets; maple tops..... \$22.75 \$1.50 Sanitary Drinking Cups; dispenser with 100 cups; at..... \$1.00	<b>Lot No. 3—Enamel Ware.</b> <b>29c</b> 50 and 75 cent Tea and Coffee Pots..... 50-cent Berlin Saucepans..... 50-cent Preserving Kettles..... 50-cent Colanders..... 50 and 75 cent Stew Pots..... 75-cent Water Buckets..... 75-cent Preserving Kettles..... 40-cent French rolled steel Fry-ing Pans; 12-inch size, at..... 25c 40-cent French rolled steel Fry-ing Pans; 10-inch size, at..... 19c 45-cent Egg Boilers, nickel plated; 6-egg size, at..... 25c \$6.00 Lawn Mowers; 16-inch size; 4 cutting blades, at..... \$3.75 \$2.75 and \$2.50 Lawn Mowers; 16 blades, at..... \$1.75 30-cent fiber Buckets; heatproof, 12-quart size, at..... 19c 85-cent Mrs. Potts' Sad Irons; black japanned top; nickel plated..... 55c	<b>Flour Bins</b> <b>\$1.50 values ... \$1.00</b> <b>\$2.25 values ... \$1.50</b> <b>\$3.75 values ... \$2.25</b> 50-cent wire Dish Drainer, with knife and fork holder..... 29c \$1.50 Scale; weighs accurately up to 24 pounds; white tile top..... \$1.00 \$1.50 Scale, with tip scoop; weighs up to 24 pounds, with aluminum top..... 95c 35-cent "Unack" glass Mouse Traps; the best made, at..... 15c \$1.50 Sad Irons; set of 3, with aluminum top with stand..... 75c \$1.75 Gas Irons, complete, with 6 feet of tube and stand..... \$1.00 90-cent Garbage Can, with 2 handles; 10-gallon size..... 59c
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## Dresses for \$4.85

Formerly Priced \$6.75 to \$8.95  
Closed out in this Alteration Sale—a great variety of fetching Lingerie Dresses that are in the latest models. You will find such cool materials as sheer batistes, lingerie cloths and fine voiles; all made with low neck and short sleeves, trimmed with rich Chilly and shadow laces and allover embroidery.  
Actual \$6.75 to \$8.95 dresses, in one great lot at.....  
**\$4.85**

**Great Skirt Bargain, \$1.00**  
Women's skirts of white linen, trimmed with embroidered scallops down front; in all sizes; in this Alteration Sale at.....  
**\$1.00**

**Girls' \$2.25 Dresses, \$1.25**  
Dresses of gingham, trimmed with embroidery or contrasting colored piques; low neck and short sleeves; sizes 6 to 14 years; at.....  
**\$1.25**

**Extra—Cool Summer Dresses of printed crepes and voiles; a large assortment made in the newest styles and daintily trimmed; at \$5.95, \$6.75, \$9.75 and.....**  
**\$10.00**

**Great Lot \$2.50 and \$2.75 Waists, \$1.59**  
Out they go to make room; a superior line of best Summer Lingerie Waists of soft sheer batistes and voiles; made in both high and low neck and long and short sleeve styles, with trimmings of richest laces and daintiest embroideries. Wonderful values at this Alteration Sale Price.....  
**\$1.59**

## Knit Underwear

**Alteration Sale Bargains**  
Women's 12½-cent fine ribbed cotton Vests; extra large sizes; Alteration Sale Price.....  
**8c**  
Women's 17-cent pure white cotton Vests, with low neck and sleeves; Alteration Sale Price.....  
**12c**  
Women's 22-cent white cotton Union Suits, umbrella shape; lace at knee. Alteration Sale Price.....  
**21c**  
Children's 15-cent white Cotton Waists and Pants, light Summer weight. Alteration Sale Price.....  
**9c**  
Children's 15-cent hand top cotton Pants, lace-trimmed at knee. Alteration Sale Price.....  
**10c**  
Misses' 35-cent white cotton and lace-trimmed Union Suits, umbrella style. Alteration Sale Price.....  
**15c**

## Notions—Toilet Articles

**Alteration Sale Bargains**  
5-cent Invisible Fringe Hair Nets; large size; black, light, medium and dark brown; 3 for.....  
**5c**  
25-cent novelty Pin Cushions and Measures, filled with turquoise head pins; sale price.....  
**10c**  
4 and 7½ cent pearl shirt waist Buttons, fine quality; 14 to 22 line; sale price, 3 cards.....  
**10c**  
16-cent Hand Mirrors, 4½x6½-inch bevel glass; rosewood and ebony finished backs.....  
**29c**  
\$1.00 black seal grain leather Hand Bags, after leather-covered frames; sale price.....  
**65c**  
Goodwin's 25-cent German Foot Powder, guaranteed to give permanent relief; sale price.....  
**10c**

## Muslin Underwear

**Alteration Sale Bargains**  
50-cent Corset Covers, trimmed with lace and embroidery; large sizes only; sale price.....  
**25c**  
Petticoats, with flounce of tucks. Alteration Sale Price.....  
**39c**  
Children's 65-cent Cambric Gowns, with yoke of embroidery; small sizes; sale price.....  
**39c**  
Women's \$1.50 and \$1.75 Gowns, of nainsook in slipover styles, beautifully trimmed, at.....  
**\$1.00**  
Women's \$3.25 white Cambric Petticoats, with devotional flounce of embroidery; sale price.....  
**\$2.25**  
\$1.00 Cambric Gowns, slipover style, trimmed with Val and Torchon lace; sale price.....  
**69c**

## This Vacuum Cleaner

**Real \$11.75 Value**  
Guaranteed for one year; a modern, improved Cleaner, having three strong bellows and brush. While just 100 last, extra in this Alteration Sale.....  
**\$6.75**

## Wash Goods

**Alteration Sale Bargains**  
15-cent Dimity, in white, with neat figures; 27 in. wide. Alteration Sale Price.....  
**10c**  
19-cent Jap silk, in plain colors, with self-colored lace; 20 inches wide. Alteration Sale Price.....  
**10c**  
25-cent Rattine, in white and colored and colored, salt and pepper effects; 27 inches wide, at.....  
**15c**  
25-cent Pique Shirting, with satin stripes, 32 inches wide. Alteration Sale Price.....  
**15c**  
30 to 38 cent Linens; both natural and colored. Special Alteration Sale.....  
**25c**  
Price.....  
**39c**

## Linens

**Alteration Sale Bargains**  
10-cent Absorbent Crash Toweling, was slightly soiled in a wreck; sale price.....  
**7c**  
19 to 25 cent splendid hemmed Huck Towels, of extra fine Union Linen; 18x38 inches.....  
**15c**  
\$1.00 and \$1.25 fancy Linen Scarfs, of hand-drawn work, German mottle linen, etc.; sale price.....  
**59c**  
\$1.15 hemstitched Tablecloths, of imported mercerized cotton satin damask; 66 inch size.....  
**80c**  
\$1.35 pure Irish Dress pattern Tablecloths; 64 inches square; bordered with initial embroidery.....  
**\$1.00**  
\$4.00 pure Irish linen satin damask Tablecloth, 2 yards square; initial embroidered.....  
**\$2.95**  
Free, at.....

## White Goods

**Alteration Sale Bargains**  
10-cent White Goods; stripes, checks, flannels and baby dimities; Alteration Sale Price.....  
**5c**  
Lawn; with soft finish; 18 inches wide; sale price.....  
**10c**  
18 and 19 cent Crapes, in the popular wrinkle effects. Alteration Sale Price.....  
**12c**  
25-cent Flaxons and Luna Lawns, sheer and soft finished; 39 inches wide; sale price.....  
**15c**  
Linen; splendid quality; yard wide. Alteration Sale Price.....  
**25c**  
50-cent pure Irish Dress Linens, 36 inches wide and pure white; Alteration Sale Price.....  
**35c**

## ENTIRE LINE OF LACE CURTAINS REDUCED

**Wonderful Bargains in This Alteration Sale**  
Thousands of pairs, involving all kinds in all patterns and colors; ready for your selection tomorrow at but a fraction of their worth.

**500 Pair at \$1.35**  
Real \$2.25 Values  
A wonderful assortment of Scrim Curtains in crossbar and flit open work designs, having picot edgings or wide lace. There are white, ivory and Arabian Choice, a pair, of this entire lot at.....  
**\$1.35**

**300 Pair at \$2.25**  
\$3.00 and \$3.25 Values  
Finest Scrim Curtains having flit lace edging, ranging in width from 2 to 6 inches. All perfect; all in splendid designs. Choice of a great variety in both the white and Arabian. A pair, in this sale at.....  
**\$2.25**

**500 Pair at \$3.35**  
Real \$5.00 Values  
These are splendid Irish Point Curtains with the best net foundation. They will give unusually long wear. Choice in this sale of a wonderful variety; every pair an actual \$5.00 value; priced.....  
**\$3.35**

Here are many more. We can't mention the full details because of the great assortment. The values are all as unusual as the above.  
Elaborate Irish Point Curtains, in this sale at.....  
**\$5.00**  
Handmade Cluny Curtains, in this sale at \$2.75 to \$3.00.  
Lace Bed Sets in Nottingham, Mexican and Battenberg; in this sale at \$1.25 to \$10.00.  
**B. NUGENT & BRO. DRY GOODS CO., Broadway, Washington Av. and St. Charles St.**



GLOBE TROTTER, 91, TO  
ENCIRCLE EARTH IN 1915

once Suffered From Tuberculosis. Recovered Health by "Beating Up and Doing."

NEW YORK, June 17.—At 91 years of age, Dr. J. M. Peabody of Los Angeles, Cal., who is here on his way home from London, believes he has qualified as the oldest globe trotter of the day. He is making plans for his sixth trip around the world in the fall of 1915. He made his first trip across the Atlantic in 1885 in the Cunard Line steamer Persia, an iron paddle-wheel steamer of 2300 tons. Tomorrow he will witness the arrival here of the 50,000-ton and 600-foot long steamer Imperator, the largest vessel yet built.

Dr. Peabody, who declares he is still in the morning of his youth, left the East 23 years ago a sufferer from tuberculosis, but in the West he recovered his health, and has preserved it by "just behaving" himself and by "always being up and doing."

TELS OF HIS MANY  
CRIMES, BUT DENIES  
HE ROBBED TRAINS

William La Trasse Relates His Misdeeds While on Way to Kansas to Meet Bandit Charge

William La Trasse, highway robber, train robber, jail-breaker, burglar, sat in the calaboose at Central Station Tuesday morning, and recounted to the police some chapters of his lawless life, and like the average veteran criminal maintained that he was greatly wronged against.

He admitted being a highway robber, burglar and jail-breaker, but denied the crime of train robbery, for which he is being taken back to Kansas City, Kan.

Sheriff R. L. Hinch of Wyandotte, Kan., took La Trasse from the Chester (Ill.) prison Monday and lodged him at central station until morning, when he resumed the journey across the State. La Trasse was serving a one to 20 year indeterminate sentence in Chester under the name of George Whitney.

Entered Prison on Purpose. "I went in there on purpose," said La Trasse to a Post-Dispatch reporter. "I knew every railroad detective in the country had my picture and that a heavy reward would stimulate police search. So I figured Murphy's law, that a good place to get buried from, I robbed a dwelling house and went about town for a week wearing one of the overcoats I had taken. I had a hard time falling into the hands of the police, but when I did, I pleaded guilty and took my sentence."

"They never would have found me out but for Frank Wilson, whom they brought back from the Lansing (Kan.) prison to serve out a violated parole. He recognized me and told the warden."

La Trasse does not appear to be the desperado he is said to be. He is 5 feet 11 inches tall, of dark complexion, has black eyes and speaks softly and intelligently. He was a foreman in an Omaha packing plant before he was first sentenced from St. Joseph, Mo.

Denies Train Robberies. "I went to St. Joe to get a job in the land department of a plant there. I had a week's layoff and got into the bag a month ahead of the job. I got out with a crowd. We drank and I was one of three who held up a man just for the fun of it. For that I was released Sept. 22, 1910.

"Since then, although I was in prison, witnesses brought by the authorities have identified me as the train robber who held up the Burlington train in this city Sept. 6, 1910, and shot the flagman, J. M. Wines, to death. "I was in the Chester Prison when the Kansas City Southern was held up five weeks ago. My photograph was identified as that of the ringleader. "I was not in the Missouri Pacific train robbery outside of Leavenworth, but witnesses identified me as the man who pawned the jewels taken from passengers. This jewelry was pawned in Chicago. They arrested me there and the coincidence settled me."

Helped in Jail Delivery. "The jury found me guilty. I was placed with others in the jail at Kansas City, Kan. I helped put up a job whereby one of the prisoners, named Alvin, and I lured the jail guard into the cell. We overpowered him and four of us got away. I went to Murphy's and had myself arrested to escape a possible life term in Kansas. They said I had a pistol when I had the Kansas City break. I had nothing but my hands. We just walked out after we got the keys from the guard."

La Trasse says he spent 17 months in Chester prison. He got out of jail in Kansas City, Kan., Oct. 22, 1911, and a month later got to Murphy's and was arrested. The Missouri Pacific hold-up was just outside of Kansas City, Kan., in October, 1910. La Trasse is said to have been single-handed in that affair. He is also accused of killing a Chicago policeman. La Trasse is 30 years old. His home is in Kansas City, Kan.

Welpert Drug Co., open all night, Ninth and Pine streets.

FAILS TO RECONCILE PAIR;  
GIVES HUSBAND DIVORCE

Judge Hennings Calls Man and Wife to Bench, but They Say They Can't Make Up.

After vainly trying to reconcile Carl P. Foerster and Mrs. Agnes M. Foerster Monday afternoon Judge Hennings granted a divorce to the husband. Foerster is a railway mail clerk and lives at 2312 Park avenue. His wife since the separation more than a year ago has been with her parents at 2457 South Spring avenue.

Foerster alleged desertion. The wife made no defense, but Judge Hennings had her summoned to court and Foerster testified that their only differences grew out of the fact that he was a Protestant and his wife a Catholic. They were married by a Justice of the Peace at Belleville and later she insisted on a church wedding. This caused them to quarrel.

Before granting a divorce to Foerster the Judge called both before the bench and pleaded with them to end their differences. This they refused to do, saying they never could live together again.

Aristocratic Touring Cars. By hour, day or trip; no meter. Reliable Auto Delivery Co., Lindell 2680, Delmar 1219

Apologies to House. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., June 17.—Representative Thomas N. Gorman of Peoria, who on last Friday knocked down Representative George H. Wilson of Quincy, the dry leader, on the floor of the House of Representatives, offered an apology to the House and also to Mr. Wilson yesterday.

## \$15.00 Reversible Axminster. \$7.95

These Reversible Axminster Rugs, 3x12 size, in many beautiful Oriental, floral and medallion patterns, in many pretty colorings of red, green and tan, and red and red, a very good rug, that can be used on either side; special Wednesday at \$7.95

\$5.00 Matted Rugs, in many beautiful designs of Oriental, floral and medallion patterns; 3x12 size; special Wednesday at \$2.49

90c Linoleum, 4 Yards Wide, 25c This is the celebrated Iron Wear brand Linoleum; 4 yards wide; made from genuine cork and rubber; comes in some of the latest patterns; in cut pieces, from 4 to 20 yards; very special, Wednesday at 25c

65c Linoleum; 2 yards wide; made from genuine cork and rubber; comes in a good selection of patterns; special at 65c

25c Japanese Matting; 180 Linen warp; in red, green and blue; extra special; for Wednesday only at a yard, 10c

## \$35.00 Sample Sewing

Machines. \$9.90 Singer No. 27-4, Wheeler & Wilson, Standard and Singer Automatic Sewing Machines; choice tomorrow

These are all Sample Machines, slightly used but in perfect condition, and originally sold for \$35.00.

\$40.00 new Drophead Machines; side tension and all the latest improvements; tomorrow, under our club plan of 75c per week (Second Floor) \$16.90

\$1.50 and \$2.00 Player Rolls, 69c All the latest Ragtime hits, also classic and sacred music, tomorrow in our Second Floor Piano Dept. 69c

## \$2.50 Silk Parasols

Women's and misses' taffeta and pongee Parasols with hemstitched or fancy border; in black, white and colors; special \$1.35

\$1.50 Emb. Parasols Women's White Linen Parasols, embroidered edge or inserting, with plain or fancy handles \$93c

\$1.00 Parasols Women's and Children's plain and fancy Parasols; in white and colors \$59c

50c Children's Parasols Children's 16-inch Parasols, in plain and fancy stripes and checks; in red, white, navy, sky and pink \$23c

\$1 Taffeta Umbrellas Men's and Women's 28 and 32 inch Umbrellas, in mission or congo handles \$53c

25c Pure Silk Hose Women's 25c pure thread Silk Hose, double linen soles, high spliced heels; in black and colors; special \$14c

15c Lisle Hose Women's fine gauge Lisle Hose, elastic garter tops, double soles, high spliced heels; in black, white, tan; extra special \$9c

15c Children's Hose Children's 15c black cotton Hose, with extra splicing at heels and toes; in navy or heavy ribbed; special \$5c

## \$3 and \$4 Embroidered Semi

Made Robes From 2:30 Until sold

Dresses suitable for women and misses, in a large variety of beautiful embroidered designs of floral and geometric material; 1 to 10—customer \$1.00

Women's crossbar and plain Handkerchiefs \$1.16

75c Hand Bags, 35c 8:30 sharp Wednesday morning we will place on sale 10 dozen of women's all leather handbags; all sizes; some fitted and others with fancy metal frames; while they last \$35c

\$2 Pattern Tablecloths 9 to 11 O'clock 10-14 size; some are slightly soiled; these beautiful satin-finish pattern Tablecloths in all newest designs; only one hour \$69c

\$1.49 and \$1.98 45-Inch All-over Embroidery Full 45-inch All-over Embroidery of excellent quality; in eyelet, scroll and baby designs; some slightly soiled from handling; values up to \$1.98; while they last, priced for Wednesday, selling at \$1.49 and \$1.98

## \$25 Refrigerators, \$12.98

On Wednesday we will place our entire line of the celebrated Glacier Sanitary Refrigerators on sale at \$12.98

\$3 Porch Rocker; very sturdy constructed; slat back; finished in natural rattan seat; full size; our Monday special \$1.69

\$2.00 Porch Rocker \$1.98

\$16 China Dinner Sets, 100 Pieces \$7.98

\$12.00 Gas Showers Complete, ready to light, with round shades, and fringe, 4-light, light picture; from \$3.50 till 1 p.m. only \$5.75

\$10.00 Art Glass Dome can be used for gas or electric; special \$3.99

50c Inverted Gas Light; complete \$1.99

50c Gas Mantles; 4x4 \$1.99

50c Gas Fixtures; 4x4 \$1.99

\$1.50 House Dresses, 85c

85c Apron Gingham As good as Amoskeag; in remnants; a good line of colors and checks; per yard \$32c

35c Brownie Overalls 25 dozen Boys' 35c Denim Overalls; well made, double-sewed, trimmed seams; with pocket \$19c

35c Men's Underwear Underwear in broken sizes; while they last only \$10c

50c White Embroidery Children's White Embroidery and Dressing neatly made; material; only \$25c

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## The Big Store

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Block.

St. Charles, Eighth and Ninth Streets.

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## A Skirt Sale That Is Positively Will Out

We've had this sale in mind several weeks, but it takes time to have things made according to our specifications and ideas. Makers were permitted ample time to create these pretty skirts, so as to suit and satisfy every whim and preference, and here they are; a great lot of them, fresh as the morning dew, cleverly tailored; Summer and sheer as a sunbeam. In this lot are Panamas, whips, volles, serges, chiffon and mannish mixtures; there is not one skirt in this lot worth less than \$4.00; while they last, your choice for (Third Floor) \$1.55

\$2 Women's and Misses' 98c Wash Skirts . . . . .

Made of pique; high-waist line; belt back with little tucks; the best value you have even seen for the price. Third Floor.

25c Women's Union Suits; made umbrella style; nice mercerized tape at neck and arms; per garment \$10c

50c Women's Lisle Union Suits; a lot of drummers' samples; finest Swiss lisle "Richelle" Union Suits \$39c

Men's \$1.00 Poroknit Union Suits; in short sleeve, knee or ankle lengths; special \$65c

Regular 50c Poroknit Shirts and Drawers; in short sleeves and knee lengths; white or ecru color; special \$35c

\$4.00 Women's and Misses' Raine Skirts

Excellent quality of ratine, made in one-side effect; front and open panel back; trimmed with buttons, belt back and little tucks. Third Floor.

25c Boys' Shirts and Drawers; balbriggan shirts and drawers; good assortment of sizes; very special \$14c

35c Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers; in short or long sleeves and ankle drawers; special \$23c

The well-known "Cooper's" Ribbed Union Suits in \$1.50 values; special for this sale \$98c

## Watch the Hour for Specials

on Our Main Floor Wednesday

25c White Pique 9 to 10 O'clock. Very fine quality this stylish welled pique, extra heavy raised and close woven, in several assorted patterns; Wednesday for one hour only, per yard (White Goods Dept. Main Floor) \$10c

29c Navy Ribbon, 25c 9:30 to 10:30. 2-inch best quality of satin-backed Velvet Ribbon; just the thing for sashes and hat bands; per yard \$25c

\$1.00 Bust Forms, 50c 3 O'clock Until Sold. Tomorrow we will sell from 3 o'clock until sold this Form which is designed and made especially for home use; covered with Jersey cloth; special \$50c (Main Floor) \$50c

2 1/2c Figured Lawns, 5c 9:30 to 10:30. Superior quality colored Dress Lawns, in all designs of figures and dots, stripes, etc. is an extra fine material that will launder perfectly; come early and get first choice; 5c Wednesday, 2 1/2c (Main Floor, Aisle 1—No phone or mail orders filled)

20c Poplin Pongees, 5c 8:30 to 9:30. Finest quality silk mercerized Poplins, Pongees, Volles and Tissues; remnant from our regular stock; all mill ends; 2 to 10 yard lengths; all good washable colors; on our bargain tables (Aisle 2) Wednesday, 20c, one hour, yard \$5c No phone or mail orders filled.

Hot Water Bottles Regular 2-qt. bottle, from 2:30 to 3:30, Drug Department, each \$44c

\$1.25 40-in. Silk & Wool Poplin From 2 to 3 P. M. A one hour clean-up sale of Silks and Wool Poplin, in assorted colors; 40-in. width; \$1.25 quality; from 2 to 3 p.m., yard \$49c Main Floor—Aisle 1.

59c and 79c—42-in. Allover Net, 25c Wednesday at 10 o'clock we will place on sale 500 yards of Allover Nets, in white, ecru and cream, 42 in. wide; regular 59c and 79c values; until sold, per yard \$25c Main Floor—Aisle 5.

Solid Gold Eyeglasses for \$1.00 Eyes Tested Free Main Floor Aisle 8 On Wednesday our optician (Leonard W. Reed) will fit gold-filled Eyeglasses, \$2.50 value, for \$1.00. This is for Wednesday only.

\$5 to \$7 Rotary Wash Machine, \$3.98

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## \$2 and \$3 Lace Curtains

Gathered together in this lot are hundreds of the choicest patterns, \$2.00 and \$3.00 value, from the leading manufacturers; over 1500 pairs of finest Nottingham, cable, Saxony, Scotch and novelty curtains, all fresh and perfect; if you have curtains to buy now is your chance; both white and Arabian; for Wednesday only (Fourth Floor) \$1.00

50c Window Shades; opaque, oil and linen shades; all colors and sizes; mounted on good rollers; for Wednesday only (Fourth Floor) 19c

\$1.00 Sunfast Drapery Madras; a pretty open work material for portieres and overdrapes; (4th Floor) special \$39c

15c Drapery Madras, on special sale Wednesday; easement cloth, etamine and scrim; Oriental and other designs; in all colors; full width (4th Floor) \$7c

\$5 Battenberg Lunch Cloths \$5.00 Battenberg Lunch Cloths; full 72-inch size, with 1 1/2-inch Battenberg border; in heart shape design, and inserting in center to match; until sold \$2.98

\$2 Battenberg Piano Scarfs \$2.49 64-inch size; Mexican drawnwork centers and heavy borders, in good assortment of designs; a wonderful value. Second Floor.

June Undermuslins \$1.00 Combination Suits—Corset cover and drawer combined; well made of the best of long cloth, trimmed with lace and embroidery \$49c

Princess Slips—\$1.25 Women's fine colored Princess Slips; trimmed with deep embroidery yoke, and lace trimmed flounce; lavender, pink, light blue and yellow; only \$98c

\$1.25 Petticoats—Good quality of muslin; deep flounce of lace inserting; finished with lace edge; well made garments \$55c

\$1.25 Sample Undergarments—Consisting of combinations, corset covers, gowns, drawers and petticoats, trimmed with lace and embroidery; all well made, but sold for handling \$45c

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## "Quick Comfort" Refrigerators

Satisfactory service and the economical use of ice has made a reputation.

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Praise them the highest. The circulation is perfect, the air is always fresh and sweet, the walls are well filled with charcoal, the best insulation known. They are perfectly fitted and very economical in the



## DOROTHY HOLT ON STAND, TELLS HOW SHE WAS KIDNAPED

Experience of Night When She Was Held Captive by 2 Men Recounted at Salem, Ill.

LATER RECALLED TO STAND

Effort Is to Be Made to Complete the Taking of Testimony at Session Tuesday.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
SALEM, Ill., June 17.—Effort is being made today to complete the taking of testimony in the case of Frank Sullens and Ernest Harrison, charged with the kidnaping of Dorothy Holt, 15-year-old daughter of Charles H. Holt, assistant State's Attorney of Marion County. Her story and that of some of the other witnesses for the prosecution have been told, but the extent of the evidence for the defense has not been revealed.

Eleven witnesses were heard this morning. Miss Holt, who told her story yesterday, was recalled today and testified that when near the coal mine after having been kidnaped by Sullens, she heard him give what seemed to be a whispered signal to someone, but there was no answer.

**Her Father on the Stand.**  
The girl's father took the stand and told of her critical condition after the kidnaping. He also spoke of the girl's mother, who was taken to the State hospital at Anna some time before the kidnaping.

Drs. Lobert and Schoonover and others testified concerning the girl's critical condition after the kidnaping. The courtroom was packed today. Sullens and Harrison sat beside their mothers. When the physicians testified, Sullens showed some emotion. The prosecutor in his address yesterday said he would demand the death penalty for the young men.

Miss Holt, although still suffering from her experience on the night of March 13, made an excellent witness yesterday, and when she had finished her story of being kept captive all night in buildings on the outskirts of Salem, the defense declined to cross-examine her. Her testimony followed the opening statements and a long argument as to whether evidence concerning another charge against Sullens could be admitted at this time. The Court ruled that it was proper.

**Girl Tells Her Story.**  
Miss Holt said she left home at 6:30 o'clock on the night of March 13, going to the home of Charles E. Holt, where she met Mrs. Holt and her daughter, Louise. The three went to a moving picture show and started home at 8:45. Mrs. Holt and her daughter accompanied her to within four blocks of her home. She told Mrs. Holt she was afraid to go alone and wished them good-night.

When a block from her home someone called to her to wait. She recognized Sullens and he came up to her and asked her where she had been. She told him and he continued to walk with her discussing certain liquor cases her father had been prosecuting. She says he warned her that bootleggers were "after" her father and brother for prosecuting them.

When they reached the step to her home, she said, Sullens seized her by the throat and threw her to the walk, striking her head three times. He dragged her away and down a deserted street to the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, and then to a coal mine. She said the blows on her head made her powerless to resist. She said they waited at the mine for an hour, and that Sullens told her he was waiting for Harrison.

Sullens then took her to the old slaughter house, where she awakened in the morning. He told her to remain there until he reached the railroad tracks, and then she could go. The girl finally dragged herself from the place and started up the road. She was picked up by neighbors and hurried home. Miss Holt declares she did not have a clear recollection of what happened after they left the coal mine.

**Other Witnesses Heard.**  
Mrs. Margaret McGilbert, housekeeper for Holt, testified to the girl's condition when she was taken home. Arthur Haines was the first witness. He testified to seeing Sullens, Harrison and another man together the evening of March 13. Charles La Martie testified he had seen Sullens four blocks from the Holt home shortly before 9 o'clock.

Mrs. Charles E. Holt told of the trip to the picture show with her daughter, Louise, and Dorothy Holt. Louise Holt's testimony was along the same lines. Many have been attracted by the trial and the streets are crowded. While there is much excitement no outbreak of any kind is feared.

**Business Manager Post-Dispatch:**  
Twenty-five years ago you and I had an animated conversation as to the relative merits of morning and evening dailies as advertising mediums. The Post-Dispatch has long since demonstrated the accuracy of your then conviction. Nevertheless, the enclosed from the "Chicago Apparel Gazette" is interesting.

Sincerely yours,  
J. H. MAC CARTHY,  
MacCarthy-Evans Von Arx Tailoring Co.

"Rogers, Peet & Co., New York, say in an advertisement in afternoon papers: 'No one wants to listen to much talk at breakfast, but to afternoon speakers you're more tolerant. The fact is, we're near bursting with items of interest about our store. So we're going to give ourselves more rope in the evening papers, hoping that our friends will accept the somewhat greater length in the after-dinner speaker.'"

Suburban Theater Tickets—Main Floor Postoffice.

Public Phones—Private Booths—3d Floor.

WEATHER: Generally fair; continued warmer.

Public Library Branch—Second Floor

Visit the Model Home—Fourth Floor.

### THE VOSE PIANO

Makes an ideal gift for the June bride. It's the ideal piano to present the bride of any month.

It's the ideal piano for any and every home. The Vose Piano, by reason of its beautiful tonal quality, has endeared itself to thousands of America's foremost musicians. The Stix-Baer-Fuller Piano store controls the sale of the Vose Piano for the city of St. Louis.

#### A Partial List of Used Pianos

which have been taken in exchange for Conover Inner-Players, Vose Players and other instruments sold in this Piano store:

Stoddard Piano (oak), used one year	\$90
Gabler Piano (walnut), elegant condition	\$90
Singer Piano (mahogany), used a few months and just like new	\$90
Grobman Piano (mahogany), almost like new	\$85
Bahnsen Piano (mahogany),	\$85
New England (ebony),	\$85
Groveton & Fuller Piano (ebony),	\$85
Decker Bros. Piano (rosewood)	\$80
Steinway (square piano), first-class condition, 88-note Player-Piano—used three months	\$270

Each instrument quoted above is worth from two to three times the price we have marked upon it. The low prices prove that we are very desirous of making a speedy disposition of every one of the instruments quoted above, as well as fully a score of others.

We will sell any instrument in this Piano store on the easiest of terms—a small sum down and less each month.

(Fourth Floor.)

## June Sale of Notions

### Dressmaker's Findings and Home-Sewer's Needs at Once-a-Year Prices

Coats' Darning Cotton, 3 spools, 5c	Warren's De Luxe Collar Supporters, six on card. Usually 10c, 8 cards, 10c	Men's 25c Pad Hose Supporters, pair, 15c
King's Spool Cotton, dozen, 19c	at Waismaker Collar Supporters, all sizes, 6c on card, at 5c	Women's 25c Pad Hose Supporters, pair, 15c
Linen-finished Thread, 2 spools, 5c	Corticelli Sewing Silk, 1 and 1½ ounce spools, usually 60c and 30c, at 50c and 25c	Inside Belting—black cotton—15c and 25c qualities, yard, 5c
Stickered Wash Trimming Brads—ends of 5c and 10c yard kinds, yd., 1c	Garter Elastic—black or white. One-yard pieces, 15c quality, at 10c	Ironing Wax, with handle, dozen, 8c
Mercerized Shoe Laces, 30-inch, doz., 5c	Lingerie Tape—10 and 12-yard pieces, usually 10c, at 8c	Shoe Laces—assorted lengths. Usually 5c dozen, limited quantity, doz., 1c
10c Tomato Pin Cushions, 5c	White and Colored Silk Seam Binding—8-yard pieces, usually 10c, at 8c	San Silk, usually 5c, at 4c
Chinese Tape—white. Assorted widths, 8 pieces, 5c	15c Human Hair Nets, all colors, 3 for 25c	5c Crochet Needles, 3c
Asbestos Iron Holders, 3 for 10c	Needle Books—25c, 39c and 50c kinds, Wednesday, 19c	35c Girdle Foundations, at 19c
Children's 15c and 20c Hose Supporters, pair, 10c	Dust Caps, assorted colors, 10c	18c Nalad Shirtwaist Shields, pair, 15c
10c and 15c Skirt Supporters, 5c	Yamato Paper Sanitary Napkins, 25 in package, 25c	50c Scissors, small lot, special Wednesday, at pair, 25c
3c Needle Bodkins, special, 4 for 5c		Sanitary Aprons—waterproof, 25c

### Shirting Flannels at ½ Price

Choice of our entire line of shirting flannels, in white grounds with neat fancy woven colored stripes.

Four price groups as follows:

50c qualities, 25c yard	1c qualities, 50c yard
75c qualities, 38c yard	1.50 qualities, 75c yard

(Second Floor.)

## The 25th Is the Basement's Greatest Mill Remnant Sale!

Any Cloth Suit in Basement \$5 and \$10

Former Selling Prices, \$10 to \$18.50

Over 100 of the Spring season's best styles will be included in this selection tomorrow. These include the Balkan, the Blouse and Tailored styles, and in such colors as navy blue, tan, also black and white.

The fabrics include serges, poplins, worsteds, whipcords, Bedford cords and novelty cloths. Come in sizes 14 years to 51-inch bust measurement.

Choose Wednesday (in the Basement store), at \$5 and \$10

**\$1.50 to \$2.98 Wash Dresses, \$1**  
Women's and Misses' Gingham Dresses, Percale Dresses, Chambray and Linene Dresses, in light and dark colors. Various styles trimmed. Sizes 13, 15 and 17 years, and 34 to 44-inch bust measurement.

**Wash Skirts, Special, 50c and 79c**  
Cotton Corduroy, Linene and Duck Skirts, in white, blue, also navy blue or black with polka dots. Sizes for women and misses, and regular 75c and \$1 Skirts. (Basement.)

### Silverware, 10c

Rogers' Triple-plated Tea-spoons, Knives and Forks—"Cornwall" brand, floral design. 1000 pieces at, each, 10c  
Also small lot of quadruple-plated Bonbon Dishes, 10c each (Basement.)

### Bakery Special—

**Fresh Fruit Salad Tarts**  
Luscious and wholesome fresh Fruit Salad Tarts offered Wednesday at 19c Half Doz. (Basement.)

### The Cooking School—

Meets daily at 10:30 A. M. For Wednesday, Mrs. Dwell will take for her subject, "Vegetables." Green Corn, Pudding, Stuffed Tomatoes and Stuffed Green Peppers. (Fifth Floor.)

## Surprisingly Beautiful Patterns and Values Quite Characteristic of The June Sale of Laces and Embroideries

**Philippine Hand-Embroidered Waist Patterns**  
Come in a score of pretty designs—dainty floral combination punch-work effects, with collars and cuffs to match, and plenty of material to complete the waist. Three price groups.

\$2.50 Hand-Emb. Waist Patterns, 125	10,000 Yards 27-Inch Embroidery Flouncings, 29c, 39c and 49c
\$3 Hand-Emb. Waist Patterns, 150	Values extraordinary in 27-inch Flouncings, in every pattern imaginable, in the very newest effects, which will make up beautifully into Summer dresses.
\$4 Hand-Emb. Waist Patterns, 198	59c to \$1.27-in. Emb. Flouncings, yd., 29c

79c to \$1.50 27-in. Emb. Flouncings, yd., 39c

\$1 to \$2.27-in. Emb. Flouncings, yd., 49c

**2500 Yards of 45-Inch Embroidery Flouncings**  
A beautiful assortment of English eyelet, floral and scroll effects, in these Embroidery Flouncings, Wednesday, which have every right to be priced just double.

\$1.50 45-in. Emb. Flouncings, yd., 75c
\$2.75 45-in. Emb. Flouncings, yd., 1.39
\$3 45-in. Emb. Flouncings, yd., 1.50

(Main Floor.)

### French Novelty Curtains, \$1.50 Pr.

In white and Arabian colors, best quality French netting, beautifully embroidered in conventional designs. Special, \$1.50 Pr.

**Pretty Scrim Curtains, \$2.50 a Pair**  
Come in dainty designs. Some with lace insertions and edges, others have wide hemstitched edges trimmed with dainty lace edges.

**Beige Point Milan Lace Curtains, \$3.75 a Pair**  
Also included in this group are handmade Arabian, fine Irish point, Cluny, handmade Marie Antoinette and many other popular makes. A great many of them would be good value at \$5.00 while some are even worth \$6.00.

**Handmade Arabian Lace Curtains, \$5 a Pair**  
Handmade Arabian Lace Curtains, Beige Point Milan and Irish Point Lace Curtains, in choice designs, suitable for the parlors, living rooms and library windows. \$7.50 to \$9.00 qualities, at, per pair, \$5.00

**Charming Cretonnes, 25c Yd.**  
French Taffeta, dimity and rep weaves, in cretonnes, of beautiful designs and exquisite color combinations. Suitable for Summer draperies for almost any room in the house. 25c and 40c qualities, 25c yard

**Curtain Scrim, 20c Yard**  
A most popular material for Summer use. Can be washed and ironed with the greatest ease. They have plain centers with woven hemstitched effect borders and drawwork designs. (Fourth Floor.)

### A Supply of Nightgowns

Has Just Come to Us at Prices From 50c to \$14.95

And tomorrow will be a good time for women who will spend the Summer away, or for those who will remain in the city, to supply a few fresh, new Nightgowns.

**Special—\$1.50 Nightgowns, 98c**  
Thirty different styles in crepe and nainsook Nightgowns, daintily trimmed with an abundance of lace, embroidery and beading. High and low neck—long and short sleeves. Regular and extra sizes.

**\$2 Nightgowns at \$1.45**  
Twenty different styles in sheer nainsook Nightgowns, elaborately trimmed with lace, embroidery and wide embroidery beading, ribbon drawn sleeves.

**\$3.50 Nightgowns, \$2.75**  
Handsome batiste and nainsook Nightgowns, in many different styles, elaborately trimmed with lace, embroidery and wide embroidery beading, ribbon drawn sleeves.

**EXTRA SPECIAL—\$1 Nightgowns, 69c**  
Fifty dozen Crepe Nightgowns, of excellent quality. Low neck and short sleeves. Trimmed with lace edge and beading. (Second Floor.)

### Two-Quart Ice Cream Freezers, 45c

Ice Cream Freezers, of heavy tin, in which delicious ice cream can be made in five minutes. They are of 2-quart capacity, perfectly sanitary, and were made to sell at \$1. Special Wednesday, at 45c

**\$3 Coffee Percolators, \$1.50**  
Coffee Percolators, the "Ideal"—made of imported enameled, light blue outside, white inside, of 7-cup capacity, and regular 33 grade, at \$1.50

**Puritan Cooking Kettles**  
Of gray enameled, with "Never-slip" cover and strainer attachment.  
4-quart size, 45c  
6-quart size, 55c  
8-quart size, 65c  
10-quart size, 75c

**Screen Wire Cloth, 16-mesh, black, of 32-inch width. Usually 32c yard, at 25c.**  
36 inches wide, usually 36c, at 27c  
Electric Irons, "Ideal"—for direct or alternating current, heating element guaranteed for five years. Usually \$3.95, special, \$2.98 (Fifth Floor.)

## Fine Suits for Traveling—Of Mohair, Linen and Ratine

\$19.75

Smart models in Suits of dust-shedding and spot-proof mohairs, the new Palm Beach cloth, water-shrunk linens and the popular ratine, displaying new fashion features, although they are semi-tailored with draped skirts.

The Mohairs come in taupe, navy and black—plain and striped.

The Linens—in natural color tan, Copenhagen, navy, oyster, wood brown and also white.

The Ratines—in rose, Copenhagen, brown and white.

Special—We direct your attention to three groups of Women's smart Spring Suits which have had their prices greatly reduced, as follows:

Suits Formerly \$19.75 to \$29.75 at \$12.45

Suits Formerly \$35 to \$49.75 at \$18.50

Suits Formerly \$45 to \$79 at \$25

(Third Floor.)

## The New White Angora Sport Coats

Angora cloth is a new and very stylish material, which has just been introduced and used very extensively for Summer sport coats.

This lustrous, furry fabric makes a very beautiful and comfortable garment for cool Summer evenings, and for field and sport wear. These new Coats also come in the warm-without-weight Elder Cloth, and are priced \$16.50, \$19.75 and up to \$29.75

**Clever New Ratine Coatees, \$6.75**  
Another lot just received! Just the garment to wear with tub skirts and delightful for Midsummer wear, of fine quality imported ratine—in all the new shades—rose, blue, emerald, ecru, also white.

Come in sizes from 32 to 44-inch bust measurement. Special, \$6.75

**Splendid New Steamer and Touring Coats—Many at \$24.75**  
The woman who is to tour America or Europe, will find here the most complete collection of garments suitable for this purpose. Every day it seems a new style and a new fabric arrives.

English Tailored Coats which bespeak smartness in every line—many of them are cravenetted so as to make them impervious to wet and inclement weather.

Special, \$24.75, \$29.75 and up to \$59.75 (Third Floor.)

During June and July only we will re-line Long Fur, heavy Plush and Velour Coats with genuine Skinner satin (very best quality), guaranteed for two seasons' wear, at the Summer rate of \$15—and store the coat in our Storage Vault, free of charge, until wanted in the Fall.

Charge will be made against your account when you receive the garment in the Fall. Leave order at Cold Storage desk. (Third Floor.)

## Bargain Square 9—Imported Colored Ratines

Usual \$1.50 Quality 90c Yd.

A splendid collection of solid-colored, also plain white Ratines, of finest cotton, in the 36 and 45-inch widths.

Choice, while the quantity lasts. Wednesday, yard, 90c (Main Floor.)

**\$1.50 Lemonade Seta, 90c**  
Consisting of 3-pint pitcher and six tumblers to match—of lead-blown crystal glass, artistically needle etched. (Bargain Sq. 10—Main Floor.)

**\$1 H. & W. Brassieres, 50c**  
Fancy Brassieres, of excellent quality batiste, with square embroidery yoke, in back and front. All sizes. (Sixth Street Bargain Highway)

**\$1 Flouncings at 33c Yard**  
27-inch Plauen Lace Flouncings, in pretty combination applique and medallion effects—Buffed Baby Flouncings, in neat Frenchy effects, at 33c yard (Bargain Sq. 15—Main Floor.)

**15c Embroideries, 7½c Yd.**  
Sample strips of Embroideries, in vast assortment of pretty designs—on fine and heavy materials—rolled from handling, very special at 7½c yard (Sixth Street Bargain Highway.)

**Gold Eyeglasses, \$1.50**  
They are the kind which exclusive optical stores price at \$5. We are also offering \$2.50 and \$3.50 double-vision lenses (bifocals) which enable one to see far and near, at \$1.50

No charge for testing the eyes. (Main Floor.)

**Revealing a Secret About Cold Storage**  
Send your furs to cold storage, but satisfy yourself that they will actually be placed in a cold storage vault.

Otherwise, you might just as well store furs at home. Inspect our Cold Storage Vaults and then compare with the so-called "storage" of others. (Office—Third Floor.)

## The Sale of Staple Dry Goods Remnants—Smallest Prices

10c Red Cretonnes, heavy quality, twilled—mill remnants, at, yard, 4c	10c Cotton Challis, floral and Oriental designs, 30 inches wide—mill remnants, yard, 6½c	15c White Dress Swisses, with small pin dots—mill remnants, 7½c
25c Bedford Cord Suitings—heavy quality. In colors. Mill remnants at, yard, 12½c	10c to 25c White India Linons, sheer quality, 30-inch width—mill remnants, yard, 7½c	15c English Longcloth—soft finished and yard wide—mill remnants, 7½c
18c natural color Irish Linen Suitings; pure flax. Mill remnants, yard, 12½c	15c Voile Suitings, solid colors and fancy woven figures—mill remnants, yard, 7½c	19c Plisse Crepes, white with small crinkle stripes—mill remnants, 7½c
White Shirting Madrases, woven checks and stripes—mill remnants, at, yard, 6½c	12½c Chambray Gingham, plain colors, stripes and checks—mill remnants, yard, 7½c	18c and 20c Bleached Pillow Tubings and Casings—mill remnants, 7½c
10c Bleached Muslins, soft finished and yard wide—mill remnants, at, yard, 6½c	15c Linen Crash Towelings, unbleached, 18 inches wide—mill remnants, yard, 9c	25c Genuine Solettes, solid black and all colors—mill remnants, 9c
12½c Batiste Lawns, fancy printed and striped designs—mill remnants, yard, 6½c	15c Barnaby Zephyr Gingham, checked and striped—mill remnants, yard, 9c	19c Juvenile Cloth, solid colored and woven stripes—mill remnants, 9c

### Mill Remnant Sale of Laces

A special lot of 175,000 yards from one of Chicago's largest lace manufacturers—representing all of their odds and ends, small lots and open prices, secured at a small figure.

Almost every imaginable sort—Edges, Insertions and Bands, in Cluny, Torbora and Point de Paris Laces. Valenciennes and Shadow Laces, and many others.

Divided into three price lots:

6c and 7½c Laces,	8½c and 12½c Laces,	15c and 19c Laces,
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2½c Yd., 3½c Yd., 5c Yd. (Basement.)

### 3 O'Clock Special

Heavy, 34-inch, natural linen-colored cotton Wash Suitings. Exact imitation of Irish linen, and will not muss. 12½c quality, 7c Yard (Basement.)

### Underprice Mill Lots of Hosiery

35c Silk-Plated Hose, 19c Women's silk-plated Stockings, in black, white and tan—boot length. Reinforced with double heels and toes and lisle garter top. Special, pair, 19c

Women's 25c Stockings, 15c Women's 15c Stockings, 10c

### Three Great SHOES

**Lot 1—Women's Pumps and Oxfords**, in all leathers, in a number of different styles. Regular \$2 to \$4 Shoes at, pair, 69c

**Lot 2—Women's "American Lady" and "Walk-over" Shoes**, in all leathers and materials, in a number of different styles. Wide range of sizes in regular \$2.50 to \$5 qualities, at, pair, \$1

**Lot 3—Women's "Walk-over" Shoes—Pumps, Colonials, lace and button Oxfords**, in a vast variety of leathers and materials. Wide range of sizes in these \$3.50 to \$6 Shoes, pair, \$1.69 (Basement.)

### Mill Remnant Sale of Silks—Dress Goods

\$1.25 Silks and Satins, 49c Mill remnants of rich black and colored Silks and Satins of various kinds—plain colored and fancy Silks which can be used for many purposes—27 and 36-inch widths, at, yard, 49c

**\$1 Silks and Satins, 39c Yard**  
Mill remnants of plain and fancy Silks and Satins of all kinds—a few blacks. Lengths up to 8 yards, and in the 27-inch width, yard, 39c

**75c Silks and Satins, 25c Yard**  
Mill remnants of colored Silks and Satins, fancy Silks of all sorts—in lengths of 2 to 4 yards. Can be used for waists and for trimmings. Yard, 25c

**50c Silk Foulards, 15c Yard**  
Mill remnants of all-silk printed Foulards, in blue only, 24 inches wide, and in lengths sufficient for a dress—while the lot lasts, yard, 15c

(Basement.)

### Curtain Material—Mill Remnants

Many of Them at Half Usual Prices

Remnants of Curtain Nets at 10c, 15c and 25c Each. These are traveling salesmen's samples, one-yard lengths, representing sample line of three curtain manufacturers. Curtain Nets which sell off the full bolt from 25c to \$1.25 yard.

In the Mill Remnants Sale at 10c, 15c and 25c length

**15c Curtain Swisses, 7c Yard**  
Mill remnants of Printed Curtain Madrases, in a splendid assortment of beautiful designs and color combinations. In lengths suitable for curtains and over-draperies. Would be good value at 10c yard, in the Mill Remnant Sale, 7c yard

**10c Curtain Madrases, 5c Yd.**  
Mill remnants of Printed Curtain Madrases, in a splendid assortment of beautiful designs and color combinations. In lengths suitable for curtains and over-draperies. Would be good value at 10c yard, in the Mill Remnant Sale, 5c yard

**15c Casement Cloths, 8c Yard**  
Mill remnants of beautiful Casement Cloths, in a splendid assortment of pretty color combinations, suitable for curtains and over-draperies. In the Mill Remnant Sale, 8c yard

**15c Casement Cloths, 8c Yard**  
Mill remnants of beautiful Casement Cloths, in a splendid assortment of pretty color combinations, suitable for curtains and over-draperies. In the Mill Remnant Sale, 8c yard

**25c Curtain Scrim, 10c**  
Mill remnants of Printed Venetian Curtain Sc



Aerobats Rescued at Sea. LONDON, June 17.—Eddie Dubonnet and Welby Jordan, aerobats in a long-distance balloon race from Paris, were picked up by a tug 22 miles south of Ventnor on the South Coast of the Isle of Wight. They were clinging to the wreckage of their balloon.

The Carbonated Belcher Water is a palatable drink and mildly laxative. Phone Bell Tyler 2085.

\$100,000 Oklahoma Mill Fire. POND CREEK, Ok., June 17.—The plant of the Pond Creek Mill and Elevator Co. and several adjoining buildings were destroyed by fire, causing a loss estimated at \$100,000.

## HALF-PRICE SALE

Wednesday We Will Offer These Great Bargains for One Day—Profit by These Savings

69c Vanity Cases  
With coin  
holders.....25c



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Bags  
Large size; reg-  
ular 10c value  
only with  
coupon.....5c

**\$1.50 to \$3.00 Cut  
Glass Sugars and  
Creamers**  
In various rich  
cuttings, on  
heavy lead  
blanks; extra  
special values  
at each.  
**59c**

**\$1.00 Long  
Kimonos**  
Of fine lawn, in stripes or  
floral designs;  
all sizes; \$1.00  
value, at.....**50c**  
(Second Floor.)

**Men's \$1.00 and  
\$1.50 Union Suits**  
Mercerized and pure silk like  
Union Suits; various styles;  
slightly soiled,  
otherwise per-  
fect; while  
they last.....**50c**

**10c Stair  
Oilcloth**  
100 pieces best quality Stair  
Oilcloth; light and dark  
colors, choice patterns;  
regular price 10c;  
on sale Wednes-  
day, a yard.....**5c**

**Men's 25c  
Underwear**  
Balbriggan Shirts and  
Drawers; drawers double  
seam and ankle  
length; well  
finished.....**19c**

**\$3 Pure Silk  
Petticoats**  
9:30 to 10:30 A. M.  
For one hour Wednesday we will  
offer on sale pure silk Mes-  
seline Petticoats, in all shades;  
limit, 2 to a  
customer;  
\$3.00 value for  
(Basement).....**\$1.00**

**Men's 50c Pure  
Silk Hose**  
9 to 10 and 12 to 1.  
Black, pure thread silk, seam-  
less, double worn heels and  
toes; "TOPSY" brand; first  
quality; at  
above  
hours.....**23c**

**White Shoes, \$1.49**  
Women's  
white canvas  
button Shoes;  
short vamps,  
medium heels;  
one of the  
most popular  
styles shown;  
we offer  
these tomor-  
row at  
**\$1.49**

Misses' and Child's white Buck  
Button Shoes; wide  
toes; \$1.29, \$1 and...**89c**

Misses' and Child's \$1.25  
Velvet Strap Pumps.....**79c**

Women's \$1.50 House Slip-  
per and Juliette; special.....**99c**

Child's Tan Barefoot Sandals;  
sizes 4 to  
11.....**49c**

Misses' and child's white canvas  
button low Shoes, at  
**\$1.00, 89c and.....79c**

Women's Low Shoes; odds and  
ends; values to \$3.00; mostly  
small  
sizes.....**\$1.00**

**\$5 and \$6 Summer  
Dresses**  
A large purchase  
of fine Summer  
Dresses of best  
quality chambray,  
colored and white  
lawns, gingham,  
linens, prettily  
trimmed in lace,  
embroideries and  
contrasting colors;  
all new styles in-  
cluding coatee  
tailored, etc.; \$5  
and \$6 values;  
in this sale at \$2.50  
and \$3.00.

**\$1.50  
White  
Waists**  
New White Lin-  
gerie and fine  
Batiste Waists,  
in newest fine  
lace and em-  
broidery trim-  
ming; the kind  
of Waists usu-  
ally sold at \$1.50  
and \$2.00; in  
this sale at \$1.00  
and \$1.25.

**\$2.00 Dresses,  
White Waists  
and Pique Skirts**  
A special sale of exceptional val-  
ues in the newest models of  
gingham, chambray and percale  
Dresses, new white voile and  
batiste Waists and side pearl  
button fastened white pique  
skirts, tucked or  
side pleat back;  
\$2.00  
values at.....**\$1.00**

**5c TORCHON  
LACES, 3c**  
A new showing of Linen  
Torchon Laces in edges  
and insertions to match;  
a variety of pretty pat-  
terns; regular  
5c values; to-  
morrow, yard.....**3c**

**19c White  
Volles**  
700 yards in this lot, beau-  
tiful mercerized stripes;  
two patterns;  
special price  
for Wednesday.....**7½c**

**85c Linoleum  
4-Yds. Wide, 39c**  
Mill End Remnants of very fine  
quality; made of cork; if  
cut from the roll would sell at  
85c per yard; choice patterns  
in room size pieces of 8 to  
25 yards to piece,  
on sale Wednes-  
day, per  
yard.....**39c**

**10c Lawns**  
Wednesday we will offer 4000  
Mill Remnants of Printed  
Lawns, suitable for children's  
wear, in short lengths, pieces  
to match; worth  
off the bolt, 10c;  
until sold, per  
yard.....**1c**

**Women's 10c  
Vests**  
Extra quality,  
Swiss ribbed, low  
neck, sleeveless  
taped neck and  
arms; very elas-  
tic; special (Main  
Floor).....**5c**

**25c and 35c Silk and  
Cotton Wash Goods**  
Thousands of yards of Mill Rem-  
nants in dress and waist  
lengths, pure silk and half-silk  
wash goods, dress  
linens, etc.; val-  
ues up to 35c;  
per yard.....**10c**

**35c Window  
Screens**  
34 inches high;  
best made ad-  
justable kind; fit  
almost any win-  
dow; while 40c  
last; (none sent  
C. O. D.) special.  
.....**19c**

## HOW A REPORTER, FATALLY INJURED, "SENT HIS STORY"

Trainmen Tell How Gregory  
Humes Begged That His Paper  
Be Informed of Wreck.

The body of Gregory T. Humes, the New York World reporter, who was killed in the New Haven wreck last Thursday afternoon, will be brought to St. Louis for burial. He was a grandson of Dr. Elihu Gregory, noted St. Louis physician, who died in 1906.

Funeral arrangements will be delayed until the arrival of Humes' father, William T. Humes, who was in Europe at the time of the fatality.

Saturday's New York World contained this article on Humes' death: "Gregory T. Humes, the World reporter, who was crushed beyond hope of life in the Stamford wreck, and then begged, as I was being carried away, that someone call his paper and say that there was a big story, but he couldn't cover it because he was smashed up, died at 7 o'clock yesterday morning in the Connecticut town's hospital."

His mother, Mrs. William T. Humes; his uncle, John D. Lindsey, the attorney, and one or two other relatives were with him. He had been unconscious for an hour and a half before his death, but in his last lucid moment he begged everyone a typical farewell.

"Good-by," he said with a smile that swept the group. "Good-by, I guess I'm all in."

Gave Orders as to Burial. "For two hours before this, his agony eased by opiates, he had calmly and quietly dictated instructions as to what should be done with his possessions and his body. He was quite confident that he was going to die and entirely unafraid of dying."

He wanted certain keepakes to go to certain pals. He wished to be laid away in St. Louis, the city of his birth. He closed up all his little business affairs, even those of the arrangements about his family's city apartment at 123 East Thirty-fifth street, which he and three other World men had been sharing during the summer while his mother and sister dwelt in the Humes' country place at Pine Orchard, Conn.

Then, after his good-by, he lapsed into final coma. "Greg" (no World man could write of him otherwise) had his weekly day off Wednesday. He went to Pine Orchard to spend it with his mother and to put into the water his motor boat, in preparation for an all-summer vacation he soon was going to start. Departing, he told one of his chums, a baseball writer, that he would return early Thursday afternoon and try to help root the Yankees along to another victory at the Polo Grounds. They had been watching the games together every day, "Greg" was a night worker.

The next thing the World heard of him was when, late Thursday afternoon, a stranger telephoned in a hurried bulletin of the wreck and said, "Mr. Humes told me to do it."

Dozing When Wreck Occurred. It appears that "Greg" was dozing in one of the rear seats of the "Skylark," the old wooden car, when the crash came. He was hurled through a window. Both hips and both ankles were shattered by the force of the locomotive's smash into his car.

Some men-railroaders-picked him up and started to carry him toward the station on a piece of board they improvised as a stretcher. He was conscious and addressed one of them. "Call up the New York World right away," he said, "and tell them there is a wreck here—a big story. Also tell them I won't work on it to work on the story because I'm smashed up. Call up my mother, too—Mrs. Humes, at Pine Orchard."

Smashed up as he was, he got through his instructions clearly. Then he went on and said to the litter-bearer: "I may be out when you get me down. If I am, go to my left-hand pocket and get out a wallet. You'll find a \$3 bill there. That will pay your expenses and the phone call."

The railroaders told this to the World afterward.

His duty done, "Greg" became unconscious. When he got to the Stamford Hospital, Dr. George Sherrill, the house surgeon, gave him an anesthetic. He recovered from this several hours later, and by then his mother was with him.

He knew he had no chance. He asked the doctor frankly, and got the correct answer. Mrs. Humes was told that he might possibly recover, but tried to impress that belief upon him. "Don't try to kid me, mother," he said. "I know."

Tries to Make It Easy for Others. From that time on, he was—under the partial influence of the opiates—his normal, joking self. When Dr. Sherrill opened a vein in his arm to give him another hypodermic, he inquired: "What are you trying to put over on me, Doc?"

He tried to make it as easy as possible for his mother and the other relatives.

Gregory Humes was 35 years old Thursday, the day of the wreck. He was born in St. Louis. His father is William T. Humes, vice-president of the Union Typewriter Co. Mr. Humes Sr. is at present in Europe on business.

The family came to this city about 20 years ago. "Greg" after a little time spent in the typewriter business, joined the staff of the Evening Journal. From there he went to the Press, and in 1904 became a member of the World's staff of writers. He had been with this paper ever since.

He was almost 6 feet tall, of magnificent physique, a powerful and energetic man of unusual ability and one of the best known and most popular newspaper men in New York.

Laundry Explosion Kills Woman. MANISTEE, Mich., June 17.—The steam chest of a laundry mangle in a local hotel exploded, instantly killing Mrs. Augusta Field, wife of the hotel proprietor, and seriously injuring five other persons.

## FATALLY INJURED, HE THOUGHT FIRST OF DUTY



GREGORY T. HUMES

Peruvian Cabinet Resigned. LIMA, Peru, June 17.—The Peruvian Cabinet under the premiership of Francisco I. Peralta, has resigned. This ministry was formed Feb. 25.

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Professor Austin will give full in-  
structions on care of the hair all  
this week at our store. Men and  
women are invited to take advantage  
of this offer. (Women need not  
take down their hair). Private of-  
fice, third floor.

**STIX, BAER & FULLER D. G. CO.**  
GRAND-LEADER

## Pimples Should Be Watched

May be Means of Absorbing  
Disease Germs in Most  
Unexpected Manner.

The research laboratory of the  
Swift Specific Company has collected  
a vast amount of information regard-  
ing the spread of blood diseases. In  
thousands of instances the most vir-  
ulent types have been the result of  
coming in contact with disease germs  
in public places, and the apparently  
insignificant simple has been the  
cause. It spreads with astonishing  
rapidity, often infecting the entire  
system in a few days.

It is fortunate, however, that there  
is a remedy to cope quickly and  
thoroughly with such a condition,  
and thanks to the energy of its producers  
the famous S. S. S. may now be had  
at almost any drug store in the civil-  
ized world.

This preparation stands alone as a  
blood purifier. It is somewhat revo-  
lutionary in its composition, since it  
accomplishes all that was ever  
claimed for mercury, iodine, arsenic,  
and other destructive mineral drugs,  
and yet it is absolutely a purely  
vegetable product. There are more  
cases of articular rheumatism, loco-  
motor ataxia, paralysis, neuritis, and  
similar diseases resultant from the  
use of minerals than most people are  
aware of. These facts are brought  
out in a highly interesting book  
compiled by the medical department  
of the Swift Specific Co., 127 Swift  
Bldg., Atlanta, Ga. It is mailed free,  
together with a special letter of  
advice, to all who are struggling  
with a blood disease.

Get a bottle of S. S. S. to-day  
of your druggist. It will surprise  
you with its wonderful action in the  
blood.

**A 3-time ad  
will make you glad!**  
Phone your want to  
the Post-Dispatch  
Olive-6600-Central

Your credit is good if  
you rent a phone, or  
your druggist will  
phone the ad.

## JUNE CLEARING SALE

TRUNKS, SUIT CASES AND TRAVELING BAGS

Extraordinary Values in this bargain sale.  
The following are a few of the specials offered:



Canvas-covered fiber-bound brass trimmed Trunk; has 3 trays.  
Special for this sale; 2 straps all around trunk (\$8.00 value).....**\$5.00**

Canvas-covered fiber-bound Trunk; has 5 slots on top, 3 around trunk;  
cloth lined; has 2 straps; 8 straps all around  
trunk (\$11.00 value).....**\$7.50**

A 5-ply fiber-covered Ladies' Dress Trunk, solid trimmings; is  
cloth lined; has 3 trays, 2 right straps around trunk (\$16 value).....**\$10**

Genuine Leather Suit Case, 34-inch cloth lined shirt fold; straps  
all around (\$8.00 value).....**\$3.50**

Cowhide Suit Case, 34-inch, straps all around case, cloth  
lined, with shirt fold (\$7.50 value).....**\$5.00**

18-inch Black Leather Oxford Bag  
(\$6.00 value) for.....**\$3.25**

18-inch Cowhide Leather Oxford Bag, leather lined, with  
pocket, strong handle, lock and catches (\$7.50 value).....**\$5.00**

Our Wardrobe Trunks cannot be excelled by any for practical use  
and cheapness in price. Let us repair your Traveling Goods for you.

# HERKERT & MEISEL TRUNK CO.

608 WASHINGTON AVENUE



## HIGHER PAY FOR CAR MEN

Philadelphia to Get Second Increase in Two Months.

PHILADELPHIA, June 17.—More than 7000 motormen and conductors employed by the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co. will receive another wage increase, the second in two months, July 1, instead of Sept. 1, as announced

some time ago. The new scale provides a maximum wage of 2 cents an hour for men who have been in the employment of the company for five years and over while new men receive 24 cents, with 1 cent additional for each year of service. In June, 1911, following the strike of 1910, the maximum wage was 23 cents an hour.

The increase has come through the setting apart of a certain percentage of the company's income.

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## 6% First Mortgage Real Estate \$500 Serial Notes

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### Mercantile Trust Company

REAL ESTATE LOAN DEPARTMENT

8th and Locust Streets

St. Louis, Mo.

## FINAL DECREE FOR SALE OF ORIENT ROAD ASKED

Trust Company and Bondholders Make Application in Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 17.—Application for a final decree in the receivership of the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient Railway, to make possible the sale of the railway, was filed today before Judge Pollock in the Federal Court in Kansas City, Kan., by attorneys for the United States and Mexican Trust Co. and the bondholders of the road.

Mrs. Mary A. Adams' Estate. An inventory of the estate of Mrs. Mary A. Adams shows stocks in gold and silver mining companies, the par value of which is given at \$21,000, but, according to the inventory, are without real value. The other property consists of \$1829.38 in cash and \$336 in chattels. Mrs. Adams died recently. She lived at the Buckingham Hotel Annex. She bequeathed her property to her daughter, Miss Grace A. Adams, a teacher at Yeatman High School.

## YOU CHILDREN OF ST. LOUIS—ALONE SAVE THE BABIES!

If Only Two-Thirds of Your Number Give Ten Cents Each the Splendid Deed Is Done.

## SAVE THE BABIES!

Twenty Dollars will save the life of one baby by giving it pure modified milk. EVERY DOLLAR HELPS.

CONTRIBUTIONS. Previously acknowledged \$606 60. LeMay, 5032 Kensington av. 1 00. A. M. M. 1 00.

This is a little heart-to-heart talk with St. Louis children, among whom the Post-Dispatch Pure Milk and Free Ice Fund invariably has found its most loyal and helpful allies:

You children of St. Louis, alone and unaided, now have it within your power to save the life of every tenement baby possible to be saved by human means. Many of you already have enlisted in the good work.

Many more will enlist during the summer now just beginning. If two-thirds of the total number of school children in St. Louis should volunteer for such service, and if each child thus volunteering earned but 10 cents for the Pure Milk Fund, the \$10,000 needed for this season's life-saving campaign would be raised in less than one week's time.

This is a statement amply supported by the facts in the case. There were at least 150,000 children attending the public, parochial and private schools of St. Louis during the school year now just ended.

The enlistment of two-thirds of this number for service in behalf of the tenement babies would give a total force of 100,000 helping children.

With each of these 100,000 children earning 10 cents for the Pure Milk Fund a total fund of \$10,000 at once would become an accomplished fact.

And this amount would enable the St. Louis Pure Milk Commission, the King's Daughters and the Trained Nurse Association to provide every one of the thousands of tenement babies with the pure milk, free ice and skilled care necessary to keep it alive during the hot summer months.

You, the children of St. Louis, can bring this splendid thing to pass. If you do, the heart of every poor mother in the tenements will melt in tenderest gratitude for your helpfulness.

You will have saved the lives of the dearly loved babies of these helpless mothers.

Just as your mother loves you, so do these less happy mothers love their little children.

Now, at this moment, their babies are in the Valley of the Shadow of Death. You, the more fortunate children of St. Louis, can save these death-menaced babies.

Every one of you children, the Post-Dispatch hopes, will be enrolled on the membership list of the Pure Milk and Free Ice Fund League this summer.

At least 100,000 of you children, at any rate, it is hoped, will become the possessor of a league membership card testifying that you have helped to save the life of a tenement baby.

If these hopes are realized, not one of all the thousands of imperiled tenement babies will die for lack of help this summer.

And it will be due to the helpful service of you children that the babies have been saved.

You, the children of St. Louis, will have done this splendid thing. Enlist in the good work now.

See to it that your name is enrolled on the Post-Dispatch Pure Milk and Free Ice Fund League's membership list.

A league membership card will be mailed to your address immediately following the receipt of your contribution.

Save the babies!

### GOOD BOARD EASILY FOUND

The most complete list of room and board vacancies in St. Louis was printed, as usual, in the Post-Dispatch Sunday. The count of these Post-Dispatch wants was 1083, just 488 more than were printed by the three competitors combined.

Whether you seek board or have accommodations for roomers, Post-Dispatch wants offer the most direct route to satisfying the need. Your druggist our want ad agent.

### SECOND SOUTHAMPTON LOTS SELLING RAPIDLY

New Subdivision by Mercantile Trust Co. to be Occupied by Substantial Homes.

More than 100 prospective buyers of lots have visited Southampton Second Addition, which was launched by the Mercantile Trust Co. last Saturday afternoon.

A dozen or more sales already have been made in the second, the indications being that it will be closed out with even greater celerity than the first subdivision.

The lots are being offered at modest prices and on liberal terms. Most of the buyers are a substantial class, with building plans, the addition giving promise of early occupancy with substantial homes.

The original subdivision interest has been well absorbed, and is one of the most flourishing home communities in Southwest St. Louis.

The sale is being directed by Roscoe Buchanan, one of the most aggressive of the Mercantile's staff of salesmen.

The Post-Dispatch is the only evening newspaper in St. Louis that receives or publishes news authorized by the Associated Press.

## 2-2 AND 3-CENT FARES STILL PAID AT UNION STATION

The market price of Missouri railroad tickets, at Union Station and the city ticket offices Tuesday, was still 2¢, and in some cases 3 cents a mile. The one-way fare to Kansas City was still

5¢ to Springfield 8¢ and to Jefferson City 87¢. A number of purchasers, it was noticed at Union Station, demanded receipts.

Fred W. Lehmann, who was one of the State's representatives in the rate hearing before the Supreme Court, declares the 2-cent passenger fare rate is, by the court's decision, made automatically effective at once. E. B. Pryor, one of the receivers of the Wabash, said he was personally inclined to take the same view. Pryor said the reduction would cut \$200,000 to \$230,000 a year from Missouri passenger revenue.

Henry Miller, general manager of the Wabash, said he believed the State Public Utility Commission would have

the task of putting the new rates in force.

Ever since the railroads abandoned the 2-cent fare in 1906, most of the large lines have charged 2½ cents, while the Missouri Pacific, to non-competitive points, has charged 3 cents. Ticket sellers have been ready, on demand, to give receipts to purchasers, but few have asked for them, and still fewer have saved such receipts until now. Gov. Major says those who have such receipts undoubtedly can recover all the fare paid in excess of 2 cents a mile, and that shippers can get a rebate on freight payments if they got and saved their receipts.

In Arkansas, the railroads were required to give claim coupons with all

tickets sold for travel within the State. Some St. Louis business men who have had occasion to travel in Arkansas have kept collections of these coupons, but many persons deemed them worthless and threw them away. In a few days, it is believed, the holders of Arkansas claim checks will be able to get back one-third of the fare they paid.

Games at Sunday School Picnic. The annual school and Sunday-school picnic of the Evangelical Lutheran St. Matthew's Church in Walnut Park will take place at O'Fallon Park Wednesday. A program of games and athletic events has been arranged and the women's society of the church will serve meals on the grounds.

Open Evenings

# PIANO SALE

## LAST CALL

### ONLY 4 DAYS MORE

King's Great 40c on the \$ Sale Ends Sat. Night, June 21

Open Evenings

Buy Now and Save From \$200 to \$400 on an Old Standard Piano or Player-Piano, Pay Later. Here is the Chance of a Lifetime.

As the old saying goes "A thing well bought is half sold," that is why we can sell these fine, old standard pianos and player-pianos at such ridiculously low prices, terms and conditions. The MANUFACTURERS PIANO COMPANY, Chicago, Ill., were compelled to go out of business and we bought their immense stock at our own price.

THIS UPRIGHT

Was \$900 Now \$225

THIS GRAND

Was \$900 Now \$467

THIS UPRIGHT

Was \$450 Now \$135

THIS UPRIGHT

Was \$350 Now \$35

THIS PLAYER

Was \$700 Now \$175

THIS UPRIGHT

Was \$475 Now \$147

THIS UPRIGHT

Was \$400 Now \$85

THIS PLAYER

Was \$550 Now \$237

### HERE THEY ARE. (NEW AND USED) PICK THEM OUT AT ONCE BEFORE THEY ARE ALL TAKEN.

UPRIGHT PIANOS	REGULAR PRICE	SPECIAL PRICE	UPRIGHT PIANOS	REGULAR PRICE	SPECIAL PRICE	UPRIGHT PIANOS	REGULAR PRICE	SPECIAL PRICE
Arion .....	\$200	\$25	Hardman .....	\$450	\$90	Bender .....	\$450	\$150
Howard .....	\$225	\$35	J. & C. Fischer .....	\$450	\$95	Stone & Son ..	\$450	\$165
Gabler .....	\$250	\$40	Hallet & Davis .....	\$450	\$100	S. C. Campbell ..	\$475	\$175
Kroeger .....	\$275	\$45	Schaeffer .....	\$450	\$105	Stinson .....	\$475	\$185
Wesser .....	\$300	\$50	Schaff .....	\$450	\$110	Belmore .....	\$475	\$190
Beaty .....	\$325	\$55	Stone .....	\$450	\$115	Decker Bros. ..	\$475	\$195
Crouse .....	\$350	\$60	Lagonda .....	\$450	\$120	King .....	\$500	\$215
Union .....	\$375	\$70	Jacob Doll .....	\$450	\$125	Steinway .....	\$550	\$225
Stuyvesant ..	\$400	\$75	Boudour .....	\$450	\$130	King .....	\$550	\$265
United .....	\$425	\$80	Auerbach .....	\$450	\$135	Chickering ..	\$575	\$250
J. & C. Fischer, ..	\$450	\$85	Story & Camp ..	\$450	\$140	Anderson .....	\$600	\$275

**SPECIAL NOTICE**—If you do not wish to pay the price of a new upright piano just now, here are quite a number of fine used upright pianos which we will take back in exchange any time within 3 years on any new piano in our store, at regular price, and allow full paid amount on same; thus giving you 3 years' use of an upright piano free. This, together with our free course of music lessons at one of the leading conservatories in St. Louis, makes an extremely attractive proposition to the person of moderate means.

### OUR SPECIAL TERMS THIS WEEK

\$450  
Hardman  
Upright,  
Now  
\$43

### Take Advantage of This Great Sale

# KING

PIANO CO.

Biggest—Busiest—Best

World's Greatest Manufacturers. Wholesale Distributors and Retailers. Branch Stores in All Principal Cities in the United States. Factory-to-Home Store.

1118 OLIVE ST.  
St. Louis, Mo.

\$550  
Gabler  
Upright,  
Now  
\$28

## THE KENNARD STORES

OUR great FURNITURE and CARPET Stores—the most complete Home Furnishing establishment in the West—offer everything needed to make the home comfortable for the summer months.

Inexpensive Furniture for the Summer Cottage

Furniture for Porch and Lawn

French Willow Furniture for the Living Room

Cool and Sanitary Rugs and Matting

Light, Airy Curtains

Beautiful Cretonnes

Tusculum and Komi Porch Blinds

A visit to the Kennard Stores and an inspection of the complete displays in the various departments will give you many new ideas in summer home furnishings.

# J. KENNARD & SONS

WASHINGTON AV., FOURTH ST., ST. CHARLES ST.

## Can You Sleep?

"I was bedfast for two years," writes Mrs. M. Fisher, of Athensville, Ill. "For a long time I was so nervous I couldn't sleep. I had womanly troubles, pains in my sides and shoulders and indigestion. I had several doctors and was in the hospital for some time. I tried CARDUI and by the time I had taken three bottles, I could stay up all day, and sleep sound at night. I took three bottles in all, and felt as well as I ever had. I wish every ailing woman would try CARDUI as I did. I cannot speak too highly of it."

**CARDUI** The Woman's Tonic  
AT ALL DRUG STORES

### A Face Neglected Becomes Your Enemy

Have your face properly attended to. Use **SKIN PREPARATION** for the face. It is the only preparation that will cleanse the pores, remove all impurities, and give the skin a healthy, glowing appearance. It is the only preparation that will prevent the formation of wrinkles and keep the skin young and fresh. It is the only preparation that will prevent the formation of wrinkles and keep the skin young and fresh. It is the only preparation that will prevent the formation of wrinkles and keep the skin young and fresh.

### A 3-time ad will make you glad!

Phone your want to the Post-Dispatch. **OLIVE-6600**—Central. Your credit's good if you rent a phone or your druggist will phone the ad.



Dr. Carrel Lectures in Paris.  
PAK.S. June 12.—Dr. Alexis Carrel of the Rockefeller Institute, New York, winner of the Nobel Prize for medicine, last night lectured on his experiments and discoveries in the Broca Hospital.

## YOU TAKE NO CHANCES IN USING POSLAM

If you need its marvelous healing effects, do not hesitate to use Poslam, for it cannot possibly harm.

It contains no mercury or other poisonous ingredients, and proves immediately grateful, cooling and soothing. All itching stops.

For the prompt relief and cure of eczema, acne, tetter, barbers' itch and all other skin troubles, Poslam is the most efficient healing remedy yet evolved.

In the lesser affections, such as pimples, red noses, complexion blemishes, rash, scalp troubles, itching feet, results are seen overnight, only a small quantity being required.

POSAM SOAP keeps the skin secure against infection and disease, improves its color and texture, soothes tender skin, makes complexion clear.

All druggists sell Poslam (price, 50 cents) and Poslam Soap (price, 25 cents). For free samples write to the Emergency Laboratories, 33 West 53rd Street, New York City.

## CARNEGIE DOFFSSHABBYCAP, BOWS POLITELY TO KAISER

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and New York World.  
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BERLIN, June 17.—If the celebrations in honor of the Emperor's twenty-fifth anniversary had been arranged for Carnegie, he could not have enjoyed himself more than when he marched comfortably up the Great Hall of the Knights (Rittersaal), as if the occasion had been specially stage-managed for his benefit, and bowed politely, if not patronizingly, to their Majesties beneath the great canopy.

Talking to the Post-Dispatch correspondent afterward, Carnegie said: "Germany is lucky in the fact that behind the Emperor as a monarch there stands the Emperor as a man."

The great ironmaster and armor-plate producer of former times, now apostle of peace, held court among the journalists of all nations after the ceremonial reception of deputations and answered a perfect storm of inquiries with regal good nature and imperial patience. He produced cautious but amusing views on every subject under the sun.

from German town planting to women suffrage.

As to women suffrage he said he would not care about it at home, "because my home is my heaven."

He was never at a loss for an answer and produced opinions as a conjuror does rabbits—from the thin atmosphere. He laughed loudly when one newspaperman caught him tripping. He was saying:

"If the English, German and Scotch were eliminated from the United States, I don't know what we should have left."

He forgets the Irish.

"The Irish" retorted someone, and Carnegie led the laughter at his own expense.

Carnegie spent many hours pushing his way through fashionable crowds and was highly delighted because everyone noticed and commented on his costume, consisting of dark coat and weather-beaten deerstalker cap.

He attended, by invitation, the gala performance at the opera. He will attend the imperial banquet, and on Wednesday he will leave Berlin to take Mrs. Carnegie and his daughter through Switzerland.

## WOMAN PATIENT KILLS DOCTOR AND TAKES OWN LIFE

Georgia Shooting, in Office, Is Unexplained; Companion of Slayer Flees From Scene.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
SAVANNAH, Ga., June 17.—Dr. Guy O. Brinkley was shot and killed in his private office by Miss Kate Kittles, a patient, who then shot herself in the temple, leaving a body falling across that of the physician.

A woman companion, whose identity has not been positively established, but who is believed to have been a sister of Miss Kittles, accompanied her, remaining in the ante-room while the girl went into the consulting room, where the shooting occurred. The woman disappeared by the front entrance immediately after the shooting began.

Uses Automatic Pistol.

The girl concealed the revolver in a small hand bag which she carried to the office with her. In a few moments there was a commotion in the inner office and Dr. Brinkley ran out, firing at him with an automatic revolver. The chase led from the inner office into the outer office and then into a passageway leading into the kitchen. Then to the back porch and again into the private office, where she fired again, inflicting a wound that touched the heart and caused instant death.

Dr. Brinkley was shot four times, the last shot taking effect in the heart, and he died instantly. After making sure that Dr. Brinkley was dead, Miss Kittles turned her revolver upon herself.

Dr. Brinkley was a Virginian. He came to Savannah several years ago from Suffolk, that State. He was unmarried.

Miss Kittles had been under treatment with Dr. Brinkley for several weeks. The girl was a daughter of Mrs. Evelyn Kittles, who resides at 223 B. street. She had lived in Savannah nearly all of her life. She was about 23 years old, slim, dark and pretty.

Mother Cannot Explain.

Mrs. Kittles says she knows nothing that might be construed as a motive for the deed.

Dr. Brinkley had just written part of a prescription when the first shot was fired. The words on the prescription pad, scrawled and scattered when the bullet struck near his hand, read: "Eliz Iron quinine and strychn."

## LEO LANDAU OVERHAULS MAN TAKING HIS AUTO

Three Shots Are Fired in Exciting Pursuit and Capture in a Druggist's Machine.

Leo Landau, department store manager and novelist, got material for a new bit of realistic fiction when, in another man's automobile Monday night, he took part in the pursuit and capture of the man who had stolen his car.

Landau, who lives at 5846 Waterman avenue, went in his car Monday evening to a South Grand avenue cafe, opposite the Magnolia Avenue Police Station. He left his chauffeur, John Maunders, to watch the machine. Maunders, from a short distance, saw a man get into the car and start away. He shouted to Landau, and Carl J. Vogel, a druggist, took both quickly into his car and started after the fugitive.

As they neared the Landau car, all shouted to the man to stop. Vogel yielded the steering wheel to Maunders and fired his revolver three times. They overtook the car at Tower Grove and Polson avenues, and called a policeman, who looked up the purlieu of the machine.

The man said he was Thomas Murphy, a chauffeur out of a job, and that he was from Alton. He explained his act by saying he had been drinking.

Store, Range and Furnace Repairs,  
A. G. Brauer Supply Co., 216 N. Third st.

## A Good-Looking Floor

does more to improve the looks and comfort of the home than anything else. It's easy to have good-looking floors if you will insist upon getting "Horseshoe Brand" floor finishes.

Mound City "To Wauk On" Stain, a combined stain and varnish for all inside floors and woodwork.

Mound City Floor Paint, dries hard over night with a high gloss; fine for halls and kitchen floors.

Mound City Deck and Porch Paint, made especially for outside wear on porch floors and steps.

Mound City Floor Varnish, for hard or soft wood. Does not scratch or show white under the hardest wear.

Mound City Floor Wax, polishes easily. Nothing like it for long life and durability.



"A Paint or Varnish for Every Purpose."

"For Every Purpose the Best."

SOLD BY THESE RESPONSIBLE DEALERS

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STANDARD TOOL CO., 815 N. 6th st. Olive  
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A. H. GRUENDLER, 1018 Cass av. Tyler 1444; Central 3671-L.

**South Side.**  
MICHEL BROS. HDW. & PAINT CO., 7128 S. Broadway, South 254; Laclede 57.  
D. ERION, 2024 Cherokee st. Sidney 2909; Victor 128-R.  
A. SCHULDER, 3000 McNaughton st. Sidney 1770; W. HUNT & SON, 3509 S. Broadway, Victor 882-L.  
H. ESCHERICH & SON, Grand and Miami st. Sidney 2404; Victor 873.  
JOHN J. JANSHECK, 1423 Chouteau av. Central 3561-L.

**North End.**  
FRIELING HDW. CO., Grand and Kossuth, Central 3703-R.  
F. W. DOELLING, 4263 N. 20th st. Tyler 1437.  
AUG. BLATTNER, 2714 18th st. Central 6096-R.  
LEE AV. WALL PAPER & PAINT CO., 4369 Lee av.  
ECKHARDT HDW. & H. F. CO., 2508 N. Grand av. Delmar 2092.  
M. HUBER, 2519 St. Louis av. Central 3437-R.

**West End.**  
B. K. OLBENSCHLAG, 3816 N. Grand av. Central 5851-L.  
ST. LOUIS AV. HDW. STORE, 4064 St. Louis av.  
HY. WEIS, 4299 Laclede av. Laclede 1443.  
JNO. C. TIMMERBERG, 4009 Chouteau av. Grand 741; Delmar 40.  
THOMAS HDW. & PAINT CO., 4114 Easton av. Delmar 1587-R.  
F. J. McTAFFE, 1203 Tower Grove av.  
P. H. KOHLER HDW. CO., 1515 N. Channing av. Bonmont 2652.

**Suburban.**  
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FRED A. HOFFMAN, 6631 Manchester av. Benton 366; Marshall 36.  
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## Mound City Paint & Color Co.

Manufacturers  
NORRIS B. GREGG, Pres. WM. H. GREGG, Jr., Vice-Pres.  
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509 Washington Av., Near Broadway

## LinEN AND RATINE SUITS

In the entire stock—values up to \$29.75 for

\$5.95, \$7.95  
\$16.95

We illustrate three of the exact styles—and there are dozens of others equally as attractive.

THE truth of the matter is—we have entirely too many Linen and Ratine Suits in stock—and we have made the most radical concessions in order to close them out at once—the reductions in many instances mean an absolute loss to us, but that is our misfortune and all to your benefit.

The showing comprises the most beautiful Ratine Suits and rich Cossack and Austrian Linen Suits—lace trimmed and hand embroidered models in all the newest shades including white—the very newest styles, many of which have arrived during the past week—all on sale beginning tomorrow morning without exception or reservation, at the reduced prices named above.

None exchanged, credited or sent on approval.

## Sale of High-Class Summer Frocks

A SPECIAL purchase involving the finest Summer Frocks shown this season—in crepes, voiles, shadow lace and net in plain white, pompadour, flowered and fancy stripes and figured effects—many models in dainty colored voiles over silk foundations—values up to \$39.75—at \$16.95.

Beautiful Shadow Lace Dresses, That sold regularly up to \$17.50—tomorrow at \$9.95

SEVERAL beautiful models in these popular shadow lace dresses—handsomely trimmed with ribbons, flounces, rosebuds, etc.—ideal Summer frocks that regularly would cost you \$17.50—on sale tomorrow at almost half their actual value—choice at \$9.95.

Over 50 charming styles to select from in New Summer Dresses Worth Up to \$7.50

THESE are new arrivals in Summer Dresses—comprising tissues, striped voiles, white crepes, etc.—dresses that were intended to sell at \$5, \$6.95 and \$7.50—all in one group tomorrow at a price that will close them all out in a hurry.

## NEW SPORT COATS

For seashore and country club wear—special at \$16.50

THESE extremely smart and popular Coats are shown in several handsome models of Worumbo Chin-chillas and Black Check fabrics—ideal Coats for wear during the cool evenings at the Sea Shore, Mountain Resort or Country Club—unusual values tomorrow at this special price of \$16.50.

## Dainty New Summer Blouses—Values Up to \$3.00

In two groups tomorrow 95c and \$1.95

NOWHERE else will you find such a profusion of new and beautiful styles or such exceptional values as we are offering—and if you will look around and compare styles and qualities here and elsewhere, you will understand why this First Floor department of ours enjoys such popularity. We illustrate three of the styles offered tomorrow at 95c—finer qualities at \$1.95—values that anywhere else would cost you up to \$2.50 at the very least.

## Sale of White Summer Shapes

WE have just received another shipment of these beautiful White Hats—made of fine quality hemp—about ten different styles and each one prettier than the other—these are the Hats that would cost you \$2 anywhere else—special for tomorrow (Wednesday) 95c

## ASKS DIVORCEE TO WIN BACK HUSBAND AS FRIEND

Wife Who Wants \$500,000 Alimony Says Marriage Broke Up Pretty Friendship.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., June 17.—"I hope to restore through divorce the beautiful friendship which my husband and I lost in marriage. That is why I am suing him now."

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## CARNEGIE DOFFSSHABBY CAP, BOWS POLITELY TO KAISER

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BERLIN, June 17.—If the celebrations in honor of the Emperor's twenty-fifth anniversary had been arranged for Carnegie, he could not have enjoyed himself more than when he marched comfortably up the Great Hall of the Knights (Rittersaal), as if the occasion had been specially stage-managed for his benefit, and bowed politely, if not patronizingly, to their Majesties beneath the great canopy.

Talking to the Post-Dispatch correspondent afterward, Carnegie said: "Germany is lucky in the fact that behind the Emperor as a monarch there stands the Emperor as a man."

The great ironmaster and armor-plate producer of former times, now apostle of peace, held court among the journalists of all nations after the ceremonial reception of deputations and answered a perfect storm of inquiries with regal good nature and imperial patience. He produced cautious but amusing views on every subject under the sun.

from German town planting to women suffrage.

As to women suffrage he said he would not care about it at home, "because my home is my heaven."

He was never at a loss for an answer and produced opinions as a connoisseur does rabbits from the thin atmosphere. He laughed loudly when one newspaper man caught him tripping. He was saying:

"If the English, German and Scotch were eliminated from the United States, I don't know what we should have left."

He forgets the Irish.

"The Irish," retorted someone, and Carnegie led the laughter at his own expense.

Carnegie spent many hours pushing his way through fashionable crowds and was highly delighted because everyone noticed and commented on his costume, consisting of dark coat and weather-beaten deerstalker cap.

He attended, by invitation, the gala performance at the opera. He will attend the imperial banquet, and on Wednesday he will leave Berlin to take Mrs. Carnegie and his daughter through Switzerland.

## WOMAN PATIENT KILLS DOCTOR AND TAKES OWN LIFE

Georgia Shooting, in Office, Is Unexplained; Companion of Slayer Flees From Scene.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
SAVANNAH, Ga., June 17.—Dr. Guy O. Brinkley was shot and killed in his private office by Miss Kate Kittles, a patient, who then shot herself in the temple, her lifeless body falling across that of the physician.

A woman companion, whose identity has not been positively established, but who is believed to have been a sister of Miss Kittles, accompanied her, remaining in the ante-room while the girl went into the consulting room, where the shooting occurred. The woman disappeared by the front entrance immediately after the shooting began.

Uses Automatic Pistol.

The girl concealed the revolver in a small handbag, which she carried to the office with her. In a few moments there was a commotion in the inner office and Dr. Brinkley ran out, firing at him with an automatic revolver. The chase led from the inner office into the outer office and then into a passageway leading into the kitchen. Then to the back porch and again into the private office, where she fired again, inflicting a wound that touched the heart and caused instant death.

Dr. Brinkley was shot four times, the last shot taking effect in the heart, and he died instantly. After making sure that Dr. Brinkley was dead, Miss Kittles turned her revolver upon herself.

Dr. Brinkley was a Virginian. He came to Savannah several years ago from Suffolk, that State. He was unmarried.

Miss Kittles had been under treatment with Dr. Brinkley for several weeks. The girl was a daughter of Mrs. Evelyn Kittles, who resides at 223 Bull street. She had lived in Savannah nearly all of her life. She was about 25 years old, slim, dark and pretty.

Mother Cannot Explain.

Mrs. Kittles says she knows nothing that might be construed as a motive for the deed.

Dr. Brinkley had just written part of a prescription when the first shot was fired. The words on the prescription pad, scrawled and splattered when the bullet struck near his hand, read: "Ellix iron quinine and strychn."

## LEO LANDAU OVERHAULS MAN TAKING HIS AUTO

Three Shots Are Fired in Exciting Pursuit and Capture in Druggist's Machine.

Leo Landau, department store manager and novelist, got material for a new bit of realistic fiction when, in another man's automobile Monday night, he took part in the pursuit and capture of the man who had stolen his car.

Landau, who lives at 5846 Waterman avenue, went in his car Monday evening to a South Grand avenue cafe, opposite the Magnolia Avenue Police Station. He left his chauffeur, John Maunders, to watch the machine, saw Maunders, from a short distance, saw a man get into the car and start away. He shouted to Landau, and Carl J. Vogel, a druggist, took both quickly into his car and started after the fugitive.

As they neared the Landau car, all shouted to the man to stop. Vogel yielded the steering wheel to Maunders and fired his revolver three times. They overtook the car at Tower Grove and Polson avenues, and called a policeman, who looked up the purloiner of the machine.

The man said he was Thomas Murphy, a chauffeur out of a job, and that he was from Alton. He explained his act by saying he had been drinking.

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A SPECIAL purchase involving the finest Summer Frocks shown this season—in crepes, voiles, shadow lace and net in plain white, pompadour, flowered and fancy stripes and figured effects—many models in dainty colored voiles over silk foundations—values up to \$39.75 at \$16.95.

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KANKAKEE, Ill., June 17.—Leo Paulissen was drowned in the Kankakee River when bathing and later his body was recovered.

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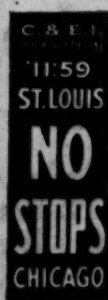
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## FEDERAL LEAGUE MAKES FIGHT FOR TICKER SERVICE

Interstate Commerce Commission May Be Asked to Intervene.

### NO STEPS YET TAKEN, LOCAL OFFICIALS SAY.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—The American and National baseball leagues and their subsidiaries, the various leagues and teams coming under what is known in baseball parlance as "organized" baseball, are facing more trouble with the new outlaw or Federal League.

A committee of officials of the Federal League and counsel for the same are in Washington, where investigation was started this morning before the Interstate Commerce Commission.

The Western Union Telegraph Co., the Dealy ticker service of New York City and the Goldman Ticker Service of Chicago are the avenues through which the Federal League hopes to strike the major leagues and the National Baseball Commission.

E. E. Gates of Matson, Gates and Ross, attorneys of Indianapolis, is here as counsel for the Federal League. He will conduct the inquiry here.

According to Mr. Gates the war about to begin on the major leagues resulted from the Western Union and the ticker companies refusing to send out reports of the games in the Federal League.

He said:

"The Western Union Telegraph Co. and the Dealy and Goldman Ticker services have refused to give the Federal League service. The Western Union had an arrangement or agreement with the various leagues in organized baseball whereby the Western Union pays for the privilege of sending out from the several baseball parks in the organization the reports of the games between the several teams."

"We, the Federal League, applied to the Western Union and the ticker companies for service. We offered to pay for the service, but the offer was refused. About 10 days ago the matter was taken up with the heads of the Western Union in Chicago and with the ticker concerns."

"They again refused the service. The officers of several clubs in the Federal League appointed a committee to take the matter up with the Interstate Commerce Commission. The committee appointed consisted of the following: Edward Steininger, president St. Louis (Federal) baseball club and formerly associated with the St. Louis Cardinals; Otto Stifel, director of the St. Louis (Federal) baseball club; Marshall Henderson, owner of the Pittsburgh (Federal) baseball club."

It's Up to Telegraph Co.

"Some members of the committee conferred with me. As a result of that conference the committee will go to New York and confer with President Vail of the Western Union Telegraph Co. They will demand of President Vail that the Federal League be furnished with service from the various parks of the league. Whether action will be taken depends upon President Vail's answer to our demands."

"In the event President Vail refuses the request, I will present a complaint to the Interstate Commerce Commission."

This complaint will charge that the Western Union Telegraph Co., under the 1910 amendment to the interstate commerce law, is a common carrier and in refusing service to the Federal League it is discriminating against it."

"As I understand the amendment to the interstate commerce act, the Western Union legally cannot refuse to give service to anybody and everybody, including a baseball league, any more than an express company can refuse to haul express when it comes under regular classifications."

**MAN GETS 6 MONTHS ON CONFESSION TO BIGAMY**

Jesse Carroll Will Be Tried on Second Charge Upon Release From Workhouse.

Jesse Berryman Carroll, 27, formerly an automobile salesman, who was arrested Feb. 17, charged with bigamy on complaint of his wife, Virginia Southern Carroll, pleaded guilty Tuesday in Judge Kinsey's court and was sentenced to six months in the workhouse.

Carroll stated that when he married Virginia Southern Eaton he was already a married man, having been married to Mary Eaton Carroll in 1909 by Justice of the Peace Chauncey Kruger.

At that time, he says, he was the husband of Mrs. Molly Eaton, from whom he obtained a divorce later.

He will be tried on this second charge of bigamy after serving his sentence on the complaint made against him by Mrs. Virginia Southern Carroll.

# ANNOUNCEMENT TO THE PUBLIC

—BY THE—

## BELL TELEPHONE CO.

43 of our 900 operators suddenly ceased work, quitting their post of duty at the switchboards throughout the city between 10 a. m. and 11 a. m. today.

We have not been notified why this was done, except that two weeks ago delegates of several discharged employees called upon General Manager W. J. Hiss to ask that all employees discharged within the last several weeks be reinstated.

General Manager Hiss replied that it is the purpose of this company to give good telephone service to the people of St. Louis; that to do this the company necessarily must have competent employees and that he could not consider employing incompetent people, whether they had been former employees or not.

This is the position of this company in regard to any demand that employees discharged for incompetency be re-employed. We shall make every effort to maintain good telephone service here in St. Louis under all conditions, and in this we trust that we shall have your hearty co-operation.

The telephone operators employed by this company have no real grievance. The girls who have quit work have done so as the result of coercion and agitation carried on by outside partisan and selfish interests, and they demand that "twenty-five or thirty inefficient or disloyal girls, who have been discharged, shall be taken back. This demand cannot be granted, as discipline must be maintained in order to furnish the public efficient telephone service.

On May 1st our operators received an increase in pay amounting to \$75,000 a year. As soon as sufficient operators can be trained, an eight-hour working day will be established at an additional annual expense to the company of \$33,000.00. The exchanges in which our operators work are sanitary and comfortable. Rest rooms and dining rooms with matrons in attendance form a part of the equipment of each telephone exchange in the city. The operators are also eligible to the benefits of a liberal pension, sickness disability and insurance plan, which was adopted by the company for the welfare of its employees several months ago. Everything that can be consistently done by the company to make their working conditions pleasant and agreeable has been done.

If the conduct of the business is seriously handicapped by the walking out of some of our operators, the standard of the service will suffer for a few days only. We are prepared to meet such a situation. We assure our subscribers, and the general public as well, that with the assistance of a number of experienced operators who have been temporarily engaged, the service will rapidly resume its normal condition.

Should the operators who quit work be permanently dropped from our payrolls, they will lose all pension fund benefits resulting from their length of service, and it is therefore not the intention for a few days to permanently fill the places of the operators who have quit work, as we firmly believe that within two or three days they will realize that their action was ill-advised and will desire to return to work.

As much as this situation may affect this company, it affects the city more. The telephone has become the greatest reliance in the management of business and household affairs. Its emergency value is vital.

We ask the public to bear with us for a few days by keeping their telephone messages down to a minimum. With the means at our disposal we shall endeavor to furnish a uniformly high standard of telephone service.



The Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Company



# With Glen Echo Links Lightning Fast, Golfers Ought to Play Like Thunder

**MR. SHORT SPORT:** He doesn't allow even friends to blow themselves at his expense

By Jean Knott



## "I'LL TRADE ANY MAN ON MY CLUB," DECLARES HUGGINS

Several Deals, Now Pending, May Bring New Set of Pitchers to Robison Field.

### PROBABLE PITCHERS IN TODAY'S GAMES

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Brooklyn at St. Louis, Ragon vs. Peritt.  
Philadelphia at Chicago, Seaton vs. Humphries.  
New York at Cincinnati, Tereau vs. Packard.  
Boston at Pittsburgh, James or Tyler vs. Adams.  
Cleveland at Washington, Mitchell or Blandin vs. Johnson.  
Detroit at Boston, Dubuc vs. Collins.

#### By W. J. O'Connor

"I'm ready to trade any man on the club. I realize something must be done and I'm ready to do it."

So declared Miller Huggins Tuesday morning. The Cardinal manager has thrown down his hand. He's open for a trade or an outright sale and before many more days he may rid his team of some excess baggage.

Hug believes that a change of scenery may do some of his pitchers a deal of good. He has no explanation for the sad showing being made by Harmon, Sallee and Burk. However, he's worried so much over his present pitching problem that he's now ready to make wholesale swaps if anybody will barter with him.

With the exception of Dan O'Connell, the Cardinals have gone to slouch. Griner, a recruit, has stood up under fire and is now the club's only winning hurler. Without him, the Cardinals have played more bad ball behind Griner than they have behind any other pitcher, and as a result, the big blond hasn't a very hefty winning average.

But Griner will carry. Harmon, Sallee, Burk, Steele and Greer may go on short notice, as several deals now are pending. Hug realizes he must act quickly if he is to check the slump which now threatens to land the Cardinals in last place. Consequently he is burning up the wires with propositions for trades.

Switch in Outfield, Too.  
The Cardinals have played good ball in every department but in the box. They are hitting and fielding well enough to be in first place, but there's no explanation for the complete collapse of the two relievers—Harmon and Sallee.

There may be a sudden switch in the local outfield, in addition to the proposed trades for pitchers. When Lee Mazze returns in a few days he may be sent to center, while Oakes will be shifted elsewhere. Either, too, is destined to perform regularly once he gets back in harness. Teddy is young and Hug might just as well experiment with kids for the remainder of the season. For that reason, George Whitted may break into the box score at any minute.

The Cardinals now are four games ahead of the Reds, who are entrenched in last place. Poston has a lead of two games on the locals. But Boston has pitchers and so has Cincinnati, while the Cardinals have only a pitcher—D. Griner. And everybody knows Dan can't win every out.

McGraw After Doolin's Birth.  
New York is rushing merrily along and should overhaul the Phils in another 10 days. McGraw now has Rube Marquard to rely on for his regular turn, while Tereau and Matty will do the rest. Fromme, too, should snag an occasional game, aided by Doc Cranford, while in no other department is the Gotham entry in need of any bolstering. With anything like consistent pitching, the Giants will surely be safely tucked away in first place by July 1.

There used to be a deal of interest in the Brooklyn-Cardinals series. At one time Rucker and Sallee were considered great rivals, of almost equal rating, while Daubert and Koser were regarded as the premier performers on the initial bascule. Then Wingo and Miller were deemed the greatest young catchers in either league last season, but also, there isn't much room for comparison any more.

## WRAY'S COLUMN

### Swordfish and Whale.

SIZE and self-confidence—or overconfidence—are in a fair way to come their customary cropper at the hands of a despised antagonist, referring to the little quarrel between Organized Baseball and the Federal League.

The bigwigs of the national game have regarded the new organization very much in the way a recreater views the chigre—as annoying, but inconsiderable. As a matter of fact, the Federal League magnates are developing an aggressive spirit that has the baseball leaders wearing anxious looks.

It may turn out another battle of the swordfish and the whale, for the Feds have uncovered some real weapons which they have already turned against the big mammal of the national game.

### Local Feds Are Hustlers.

THE latest move of the Federal League—that of attacking the telegraph companies for refusing to carry its reports—may not directly injure organized baseball, but it may be the means of more light being shed on a dark subject—and light is not wanted in baseball until all the ramifications have been cleaned up.

The St. Louis Federals appear to be the hustling members of the organization. They are carrying the war into Africa in two instances—the O'Connor matter and the more recent one of the telegraph companies. With nothing to lose and everything to gain, the success of the local Federals would be a severe blow to the organized rivals here.

### Time Ripe for Change.

FALLING attendances are already showing the displeasure of the fans with the local big League situation. A pennant-winning Federal team here might break into the limelight.

In the meantime, anything that can discredit the "trust" in the eyes of the fans is being used as legitimate ammunition by the newcomers in baseball. With wits and money back of their campaign, the Federals are looming up as the most formidable factor the big Leagues have had to face since the National Agreement was drafted.

### No Chance to Bet Here.

THEY are trying to stamp out betting on baseball games in the grand stands at Philadelphia and New York. In St. Louis the task is greatly simplified by the fact that, as every-

## Three Cardinals Pitchers Bumped by Brooklyn Sluggers for 20 Hits

Larry McLean contends that religion and baseball do not mix, at least not successfully.

"These Cardinal pitchers have nothing on the ball but a prayer," declares the benighted backstop, who should know whereof he speaks. Larry had his little say after Monday's game, when Brooklyn bumped the baseball served up by Harmon, Sallee and Burk to four corners for 20 hits and 10 runs. Rucker held the Cards to seven safeties and five runs.

Rucker was hit hard enough to lose. The Cardinals fell on the well-advised Napoleon in the fourth frame for five successive safe slams, one of them a triple, netting five runs. Up to that time Sallee had held the enemy at bay and it looked rosy for a local triumph. But there was an explosion on the Cardinal kopje and Sallee was led away in disgrace.

Brooklyn used to be one club that Sal held safe; not so any more. In less than six innings, the easy Superbas slammed Sal's shots for 11 hits, and when the slender southpaw finally was discharged by Huggins, there was no doubt left about his inability to cope with the situation. Sal is charged with the defeat.

Sanford Burk had an uninteresting sojourn on the hurling hill. Sanford once played with Brooklyn, and he was called in Monday in the sixth round, with the bases

## HARRY TRENDALL PICKS HARD FOE FOR LOCAL BOUT

Eddie Murphy Looms Up as Formidable Opponent for St. Louis Premier Boxer.

Eddie Murphy, the lightweight from Boston, should prove one of the hardest opponents Harry Trendall, the St. Louis boxer, has met in a long time. They are scheduled to furnish the eight-round feature for members of the National A. C. Wednesday evening.

Murphy's best bouts have been with Pauley McFarland and Jack Britton, the toughsters of Chicago. White Murphy was shaded in two bouts by McFarland; he managed to hold Britton even as late as two weeks ago. That stamps him as a boxer who has to be feared.

Murphy, after his arrival Monday, took a workout in Forest Park with his trainer, Paddy O'Donnell. They lost their way and took twice as much exercise in finding their way out of the place. Murphy says he is well within the 135 pounds required.

Art Mastri, the Nebraska near-welter, hopes to beat Eddie Riviere, the St. Louisan, in the semi-windup. This is their second meeting. On the previous encounter, Riviere surprised Mastri and everyone else by outpointing the sturdy Westerner.

### AMERICAN GOLFERS MAKE GOOD SHOWING ABROAD

NEW YORK, June 17.—American golfers, who are preparing to compete in the British open golf championship, beginning Thursday at Hoylake have made an excellent showing on the one or two occasions that they have appeared since their arrival in England, according to reports just received here.

John J. McDermott, the national open title holder, has been in specially good form. Playing with Tom McNamara, the metropolitan open champion, as a partner, he was arrayed against S. H. Fry and Michael J. Brady in a four-ball match over the Mid-Surrey links.

The two Macs won by the comfortable margin of 6 up and 6 to play. McDermott going round in 88, and two strokes higher than the record held by J. H. Taylor, the famous British player, McDermott's 81 for the outward course has been equaled only twice. The American champion's work has brought forth considerable praise from the English critics.

### DUNDEE 10 TO 8 FAVORITE OVER J. WHITE TONIGHT

LOS ANGELES, Cal., June 17.—The Dundee-White 10-round bout at Vernon arena tonight will be more of a lightweight than a featherweight match. They are to fight at catch weights and Johnny Dundee, the New York welter, who recently fought a draw with Champion Kilbane, will weigh close to 120 pounds when he enters the ring, according to training camp gossip.

His opponent, Jack White of Chicago, will weigh within a pound of that. Although the feeling is growing that White has an even chance to win, owing to his being the harder hitter of the two, Dundee is still a 10-to-8 favorite today.

### ST. LOUIS FEDS PLAY LAST GAME IN NAPLUND

CLEVELAND, June 17.—To win the odd game of the series it will be necessary for the St. Louis Federals to land right side up in today's game with the Cleveland club. It is the last of the series. The men of Iv Young prevented the Terriers from winning their third successive game yesterday by pouncing on Pitchers Harry Reis and Chief Rehner in rough fashion. The score was 8 to 2. Miller held the St. Louisians to eight well scattered hits.

Special Steamer for Baseball Tour.  
NEW YORK, June 17.—The world tour of the New York Nationals and Chicago Americans next fall and winter may be made on a specially chartered steamer. The suggestion has been made by President Ban Johnson of the American League, who is here, and the club managers are making inquiries of the steamship officials.

**DEEP-FELO**  
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## TODAY'S TABLE

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

CLUBS	W.	L.	Pct.	Win. Loss.
Philadelphia	22	15	.595	888 967
New York	20	19	.512	812 925
Chicago	18	21	.460	745 858
Brooklyn	17	22	.435	731 846
Pittsburgh	14	25	.350	672 885
Cincinnati	13	27	.325	640 940
St. Louis	12	28	.300	615 925
Cleveland	11	30	.275	585 900

**Yesterday's Results.**  
Brooklyn, 10-20-2; Cardinals, 5-7-0.  
Batteries—Rucker and O. Miller; Sallee, Burk, Harmon and McLean.  
Chicago, 12-15-1; Philadelphia, 2-10-2.  
Batteries—Chesney and Bresnahan; Marshall, Chalmers, Alexander, Hartnutt and Doolin; Killifer and Hawley.  
New York, 4-10-2; Cincinnati, 2-0-2.  
Batteries—Marshall and Weaver; Sugars, Johnson and Clarke and Kline.  
Boston, 6-12-1; Pittsburgh, 5-8-2.  
Batteries—Rudolph and Hardien; Cammer, Hendrix, Adams and Coleman and Gibson.

**Today's Schedule.**  
Brooklyn at St. Louis.  
Philadelphia at Chicago.  
New York at Cincinnati.  
Boston at Pittsburgh.

### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

CLUBS	W.	L.	Pct.	Win. Loss.
Philadelphia	40	12	.769	1774 1353
St. Louis	38	14	.731	1661 1243
Washington	29	25	.537	1245 1237
Cleveland	28	26	.519	1210 1200
Boston	27	27	.500	1191 1200
Chicago	25	29	.463	1114 1307
Brooklyn	21	33	.390	1061 1344
New York	18	36	.333	1020 1250

**Yesterday's Results.**  
Boston, 3-6-0; Browns, 2-6-2 (12 innings).  
Batteries—Wood and Nunnaker; Levens and Agnew.  
Detroit, 3-0-0; New York, 3-4-2.  
Batteries—Hall, Lake, Zambich and Standish; Schultz, Keating and Sweetser.  
Philadelphia, 3-6-0; Cleveland, 2-6-0.  
Batteries—Frank and Schanz; Fulkner and Carlsen.  
Washington, 1-7-4.  
Batteries—Russell and Schaik; Groom, Engel and Russell.

**Today's Schedule.**  
Brooklyn at New York.  
Chicago at Philadelphia.  
Detroit at Boston (morning and afternoon).  
Cleveland at Washington.

### OTHER LEAGUE STANDINGS

CLUB	W.	L.	Pct.	Win. Loss.
Indianapolis	20	15	.571	823 872
Chicago	19	16	.543	792 882
St. Louis	18	17	.500	780 880
Pittsburgh	13	23	.361	635 895

**Yesterday's Results.**  
Cleveland, 8; St. Louis, 2.  
Chicago, 12; Cincinnati, 2.  
Open date for Indianapolis and Pittsburgh.

### AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

CLUB	W.	L.	Pct.	Win. Loss.
Milwaukee	37	24	.606	1560 1360
St. Paul	34	27	.558	1440 1360
Kansas City	33	28	.539	1410 1360
St. Paul	32	29	.524	1380 1360

**Yesterday's Results.**  
Minneapolis, 5; Indianapolis, 2.  
Columbus, 6; Milwaukee, 2.  
Kansas City, 6; Louisville, 5.

Father Dunne's newsboys attended in a body and tried their damndest to enjoy the sport. They appreciated Rucker and Daubert, but just couldn't enthuse while the home team was being beaten.

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## LEVERENZ HOLDS SOX TO 6 HITS IN 12 SESSIONS

Former Coast League Southpaw Comes Through With Another Good Game But Browns Lose.

NEW YORK, June 17.—If the Browns are to keep out of last place, now is the time for them to assure the position to the Yankees. The seventh and eighth place teams begin a three-game series on the Polo Grounds this afternoon. George Baumgardner will probably be Manager Stovall's reliance in the opening encounter.

The Browns came from Boston, where they lost four games to the Red Sox. Although playing a losing game in every encounter with the World's Champions does not necessarily mean that the Stovallized aggregation performed in poor style. On the other hand, it required 13 innings in one and 12 in another for the Red Sox to trim the St. Louisans.

In yesterday's game, Walter Leverenz came through in fine style for the fourth successive time for Manager Stovall. The ex-Coast League southpaw held the hard-hitting Red Sox to six hits in 12 innings along just as well in a pitching way, besides poling the single in the twelfth round that pushed over the deciding run.

### LOCAL POLO TEAM WILL PLAY CHICAGO ON JUNE 25

CHICAGO, June 17.—The midwestern polo tournament awarded the Onwenisia Club Lake Forest, Ill., by the National Polo Association, will be held the last week in June. Plans for the games were announced today.

Kansas City, Cincinnati and St. Louis have entered teams to play against the Chicago experts, led by Capt. Frederick McLaughlin, who has not made known his lineup. Kansas City and Cincinnati will play the first game on June 24. Onwenisia will meet St. Louis on June 25, and on June 27 the losers will clash for the consolation cup. The championship game will be decided on June 28.

## SPORT SALAD

### LULLABY.

BYE, oh, Baby Bunting! The "Rabbit's" gone a-hunting To get a little pitching staff That everyone won't give the laugh.

**MASSE SHOTS BARRED.**  
OH, golfers, dear, and did you hear About the awful scenes? Are tearing up the greens.

Looks like first division.

An Eastern scribe refers to the Browns as "George Stovall's hustling horde of professional ball tossers." Hustling is right, they're hustling back to that dear old cellar home as fast as they can hike.

The Cardinal management attributes the falling off in attendance to starting the games too early. Win a few games, "Sky," and you can start 'em when you please, but you'd have to open the box office at 10 a. m.

The difference between water polo and pony polo—in the latter the rules forbid biting in the clinches.

President Wilson is an enthusiastic golfer. They do say that if certain plans in connection with the tariff go through His Excellency will use sugar instead of sand for his tee.

## Rickart May Be Named Secretary of Third League

Federals May Name Former Browns Official to Post at Next Meeting.

A meeting of officials of the Federal League of Professional Baseball Club officers will be held shortly to take up the question of naming a secretary who will be able to devote his entire time to the affairs of the league.

The only name mentioned in connection with the office is that of Lloyd Rickart, who recently resigned from the Browns.

Edward A. Steinmeyer, president of the local club of the Federal League, told the Post-Dispatch Tuesday that the office probably would be offered to Mr. Rickart within a short space of time.

There is also a report that the St. Louis National League club has offered or is expecting to offer Rickart a position as publicity man for the club.

### WESTERN ROWING CLUB PLANS SWIM IN RIVER.

The Western Rowing Club has made application to the Western A. A. U. for a sanction to promote a five-mile handicap swim in the Mississippi River, July 27, Billy Washburn, in charge of the event, already has a prize list that assures the entry of a couple of hundred paddlers. He also plans to stage a two-mile race for women in August. This is the second time this event has been featured. A third race for boys is also under consideration.

### GLEN ECHO MEN THIRD IN MORRIS CUP PLAY.

For the second successive time the Los Angeles Country Club golfers were the Tom Morris memorial trophy Monday. The score was 56 down. The Amadoria Country Club of Pasadena, Cal., with 59, was second, and the Glen Echo golfers, Cronch, Kenney, Orlinton and Carter, were third. Their score was 66 down.

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Women's Sizes, 34 to 46; Misses' Sizes, 14, 16 & 18. 12 Models are Here Illustrated.

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The dresses have come from three of New York's best dressmakers who are closing up their season & who disposed of their entire surplus lots of 3000 dresses to our buyer at near to half & more than half below their regular worth.

**I**N the gigantic lot are fully fifty different new & popular styles, among which will be found most every fashion idea that has received favor for summer wear. The jaunty new coat effects, various unique draping ideas, the use of contrasting materials, dainty laces & embroideries & many other fascinating styles are given splendid expression.

Novelty voiles, batiste, sheer lawns, linen, ratine & summer tissues are the materials that have most prominent showing, these in plain colors, pretty striped & figured effects, of such beauty as to win prompt approval from women of exacting tastes. Women's sizes from 34 to 44—for misses 14, 16 & 18—\$6.75, \$8.75 & \$10 values. Choice, \$3.88.

## The Season End Clearing Sales Will Bring No Better Values in Laces & Embroideries

Women who look forward to clearing sales will be surprised to find they are able to get the customary price reductions now in these exquisite embroideries & have complete stocks for selection. It fits with our merchandising plans to reduce the embroidery stocks as far as possible during June, hence these remarkable savings.

**35c to 45c Lace Flouncings, 29c**  
Beautiful soft shadow & Valenciennes lace flouncings for the modish double & triple flounce dresses, 15 to 18 inches wide, cream & white, 35c to 45c values, yard.....29c  
**19c to 29c Wash Laces, 10c**  
White & cream Venise, Oriental & fancy cotton laces & wide bands, fillet & shadow laces & insertions, widths most suitable for trimmings, 19c to 29c values, Wednesday, yard.....10c

**Embroidery Flouncings**  
A remarkable collection of beautiful Swiss, crepe & voile skirt length flouncings, in large repeat & bold relief designs & combinations of Venise & macramé lace bands & deep Van Dyke point effects—  
Reg. \$1.65 values.....95c Yd.  
Reg. \$2.98 values.....\$1.45 Yd.  
Reg. \$4.98 values.....\$2.75 Yd.

**39c to 50c Flouncings, 15c & 25c**  
Hundreds of striking patterns in 18-inch Swiss, cambric & voile flouncings & corset coverings, in Irish point, burnt out & heavy flowered designs, 39c to 50c values, Wednesday, yard.....15c & 25c

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Thompson glove-fitting corsets, made of splendid batiste, in medium, high bust, long sheath skirt, boned with ebony, trimmed in silk embroidery around top, 6 wide hose supporters attached, all sizes, \$3 value, Wednesday.....\$1.65

**50c Batiste Brassieres, 39c**  
Batiste brassieres, well made with square embroidery yoke effects, embroidery trimmed, all sizes from 34 to 46, regular 50c value, Wednesday.....39c

## 75c Bungalow Aprons, 45c

Here is a garment of first aid to the housekeeper—serviceable, neat & practical. These bungalow aprons are easily donned & afford greatest protection to the woman's dress. They are made from percales & ginghams in neat stripe, check, dot & small floral designs, in light, medium & dark colors. Each apron is sold with cap to match, & regular 75c value, Wednesday.....**45c**

## Women's 59c Gowns, 45c

Women's slipover nainsook gowns, neatly trimmed with lace or embroidery, full sizes—59c value—  
Wednesday.....**45c**

**50c & 59c Corset Covers, 33c**  
Women's nainsook corset covers—lace & embroidery trimmed—50c & 59c values—Wednesday.....33c

**Women's \$1.00 Slips, 79c**  
Nainsook princess slips, with yoke of embroidery & ribbon heading, lace edged—\$1 value—Wednesday.....79c

**Women's \$2.49 Bathing Suits for \$1.85**  
Splendid chances to save on good bathing suits here Wednesday. Garments are well made from cert cloth, in colors black or navy, trimmed with braid or galatea cloth—in all sizes—\$2.49 value—Wednesday.....**\$1.85**

## Continuing Wednesday the Great Sale of Boys' \$2, \$2.50 & \$3 "Regatta" Wash Suits, \$1.15

By the end of the week we calculate a thousand little lads will be the owners of these cunning Wash Suits, leastwise from the present indications the great purchase lot of 1000 clever new Suits in this sale will be gone.

Mothers with Suits to make or buy will do a wise thing in viewing this lot before lines become broken. They are Russian, Sailor & Beach styles, expertly tailored, from galatea, cheviot, chambray, rep, linen, crash & other tub materials. Every Suit is guaranteed tub proof & for satisfactory wear. The suggestion to provide a Summer's supply for the boy will be heeded by many Wednesday, who will get \$2, \$2.50 & \$3 values at **\$1.15**



## A Sale of Women's Vests

A great lot of women's Summer knit vests, in regular & extra sizes—leg neck, sleeveless styles, some plain, others with fancy yokes—offering favorable opportunity for providing the summer's supply with

**12 1/2c sleeveless vests.....7 1/2c**  
**15c to 17c sleeveless vests.....10c**  
**19c sleeveless vests.....12 1/2c**  
**22c sleeveless vests.....14c**  
**25c sleeveless vests.....18c**  
**35c sleeveless vests.....23c**

## Delightful New French Cretonnes

Delightful Summery patterns in French cretonnes, now so popular for the Summer interior decorations. There's a wide range of bright floral & rich colored all-over designs, in shadow effects, in taffeta & dimity weaves, so suitable for overdraperies, fancy work, couch, box & furniture covering & giving the cool & refreshing look to the home, the yard.....**22c**

## New & Novelty Lace Curtains, \$2.39

Curtain underpricing of special interest & importance. A splendid lot of Saxony, French cable, Egyptian, Point d'Esprit & Brussels nets, French & Arabian novelty & handmade scrim, Duchesse, Princess, Honiton, Arabian & Marie Antoinette Curtains, in white & Arabian colors—pair.....**\$2.39**

## A Wednesday Event With Good News in Men's Panama Hats

Genuine handmade one-piece Ecuadorian panama hats that are much underpriced for Wednesday's selling to interest men looking for Summer comfort at a low cost. Two big lots—

At \$3.30—Including every wanted shape in handmade, one-piece panamas not to be found elsewhere under \$5.

At \$4.40—Finest handmade panama hats in every desired block, values such as one will find priced elsewhere at \$7.50.



## As Cool as the Summer Breezes Are These Men's Mohair Suits

They are smart suits with the style & good looks that men who are particular will approve. They will give satisfactory wear, plus maximum of comfort. Attractive patterns & colorings, tailored excellence & all the good points of good suits are embodied. The suits are made of genuine imported Priestley cravenetted cloth, which will not spot, sizes for stouts & slims, with extra ones up to 52-inch chest measure, silk or alpaca lined, priced at

**\$12, \$14, \$16, \$19 & \$21**

## Underpricing in Wash Goods

**15c Printed Lawns, 8 1/2c**  
Beautiful floral patterns, also checks & stripes. Remnants of our 15c fabrics—desirable lengths—fast colors—Wednesday (in basement), yard.....8 1/2c  
**10c Comfort Cretonne, 6 1/2c**  
A large & varied assortment of patterns—only a limited quantity—to close out the lot, Wednesday (in basement), yard.....6 1/2c

**25c 36-Inch Pure Linen, 15c**  
We guarantee every fiber pure linen—natural shade only—Wednesday (in basement), yard.....15c  
**25c Colored Ratine, 15c**  
Mill lengths from 2 to 10 yards, in gray, tan, light blue. This is the season's most wanted texture. An excellent value—Wednesday (in basement), yard.....15c

## \$26 Automatic Refrigerators, \$21.95

Automatic white enamel lined refrigerators, side icers, with 100-lb. capacity, golden oak finish—**\$21.95**

**\$5.50 Lawn Swings, \$4.47**  
Large size 4-passenger lawn swings with adjustable seats—worth \$5.50—special Wednesday.....\$4.47

**\$1.10 Lawn Benches, 85c**  
Folding lawn benches, nicely painted—regular \$1.10 value—special Wednesday.....85c  
**\$1.50 square bottom clothes hampers—special Wednesday.....98c**  
35c kitchen brooms, 4-sewed, of good quality broom corn—Wednesday.....21c  
75c grass catchers to fit on to lawn mowers—Wednesday.....59c  
\$1.25 woven willow clothes baskets with wooden bottom—Wednesday.....89c

**\$3 Lawn Mowers, \$2.19**  
Victor lawn mowers—light running machines with 16-inch cutting blades—regular \$3 value—Wednesday.....\$2.19  
40c 30x37 adjustable window screens—Wednesday.....30c

90c screen doors—assorted sizes—painted green—Wednesday.....78c  
75c 100-lb. Keystone clothes line & reel—Wednesday.....59c  
80c wool wall & ceiling brush with long handle—Wednesday.....59c  
90c steamer chairs, with extra heavy canvas seat & back—Wednesday.....60c  
\$1.50 7-piece coaster sets—nickel-plated rim—Wednesday.....98c

## Less to Pay Wednesday for Midsummer Dress Materials

Sheer Summery wash goods, splendid silks & wool fabrics, suitable for the new waists, dresses & suits for Midsummer wear. A pleasing range of patterns & fabrics, with much less than usual to pay Wednesday.

**75c Bordered Voile, 49c**  
Imported, sheer, 44-inch white voile with woven colored ratine borders—stylish 75c quality—Wednesday, yard.....49c

**\$1.15 54-In. Black Panama, 65c**  
Real chiffon panama—pure wool—34 inches wide—sponged & shrunk—perfect black—worth \$1.15—Wednesday, yard.....65c

**39c 44-Inch Linen, 29c**  
Plain, medium weight, natural color, pure flax, tan linen suitings—regular 39c quality—Wednesday, yard.....29c

**49c Mohair Brilliantine, 35c**  
Navy, royal black or cream, 36-inch, plain silk finished mohair brilliantine for bathing suits, dresses & skirts—49c quality—Wednesday, yard.....35c

**\$2.00 Black Satin, \$1.59**  
Rich, heavy, all-silk, yard wide black satin for coats, suits & dresses—worth \$2.00 a yard—Wednesday, yard.....\$1.59

**35c Striped Voile, 25c**  
Sheer 40-inch wash voile, in dainty stripes—stylish 35c quality—Wednesday, yard.....25c

## Some Extra Savings in Summer Floor Coverings

A listing of items in floor coverings specially suited to present needs, with fractional prices to pay.

**\$6.50 Japanese grass rugs, with Grecian key borders, 9x12 size, Wednesday.....\$4.50**

**\$3.50 9x12 Japanese straw matting rugs, Wednesday.....\$1.98**

**50c 36x70 Japanese matting rugs.....25c**

**25c & 30c Japanese mattings, in blue, green or red carpet effects, yard.....19c**

**50c Extra-weight linoleum, including bathroom patterns, yard.....35c**

**65c 4-yard wide linoleum, choice designs, yard.....49c**

**\$1 Inlaid linoleum, colors that are solid through to the back, 14 patterns, yard.....75c**

**Famous-Baird**

We Give, Redeem & Guarantee  
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WASHINGTON AVE AND SIXTH ST.

We Are Sole St. Louis Distributors of  
INNOVATION WARDROBE TRUNKS

Largest Distributors of Merchandise  
at Retail in Missouri or the West.

## \$15 100-Piece China Dinner Sets

German china dinner sets, 4 beautiful floral spray decorations to select from, with gold line on edge, \$15 value, Wednesday.....**\$9.45**

## \$12.50 Dinner Sets at \$7.75

Light-weight semi-porcelain dinner ware, in dainty delicate floral decoration, with gold line on edge, & traced gold handles & knobs, 100-piece sets, \$12.50 value,  
Wednesday.....**\$7.75**

## \$10 100-Piece Dinner Sets, \$6.55

100-piece dinner sets, in various pretty decorations to select from, every piece guaranteed perfect, with gold treatment, Wednesday.....**\$6.55**



**75c Doz. Tumblers, 6 for 25c**  
Optic style table tumblers, 10 oz. size, clear crystal glass, regular 75c dozen value, Wednesday, per set of 6.....25c

**\$2.50 Berry Sets, \$1.50**  
Royal Nippon china berry bowl & 6 saucers to match, embossed gold decoration, \$2.50 value, Wednesday.....\$1.50

**\$2.50 Hand-Painted Vases, \$1.25**  
Royal Nippon hand-painted vases, 12-inch size, \$2 value, Wednesday, special.....\$1.25

**Mason's Fruit Jars**  
Standard quality, with porcelain lined lid, fitted with rubber rings:  
Pint size, regular 45c dozen.....39c  
Quart size, regular 50c dozen.....42c  
1/2-gal. size, regular 75c dozen.....59c

**Jelly Glasses**  
With tight fitting lids,  
1/2-pint size, regular 25c dozen.....19c  
3/4-pint size, regular 30c dozen.....19c



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## 2 MEN BECOME BURGLARS TO GET LID CLUB DRINKS

Admit Robbing Many Stores But  
Say They Got Little Plunder  
—Surprised at Capture.

To get money to spend in lid clubs, Edward Tiede and William Metzger became burglars, they told the police Tuesday, robbing hardware stores and small dry goods establishments. They began their series of crimes last October, and were detected only Monday, when policemen found a number of stolen articles at Tiede's home, 916 Carroll street. He confessed to the thefts, and implicated Metzger, who lives at 824 Ohio avenue. Tiede is 24 years old, Metzger 21.

In the Sullard Street Police Station each blamed the other for prompting and planning the crimes, and both said the proceeds of the burglaries had been small. Tiede worked by day in a box factory, and says he made more there than he made at night as a burglar.

They found that the market for revolvers, razors and ribbons, the things they stole most of, was dull, and even the cash registers in the small stores which they robbed yielded little.

Their first robbery, they said, was Oct. 28 last, at Emil Wachter's hardware store, 1402 South Broadway. May 25 they robbed the Newman dry goods store, 1830 South Ninth street, and goods store, 1830 South Ninth street, and Edward Boeschstein's hardware store, 2710 South Broadway. They also robbed a dry goods store at 6200 South Broadway, a hardware store at 7130 South Broadway, and a lumber yard at Miller and Kosciuszko streets.

## When the Housegirls Join the Union



## 2 WOMEN IN CREVE COEUR WRECK IN A CRITICAL CONDITION

Others of 27 Hurt in Crash  
Have Rallied, but All Are  
Not Out of Danger.

Mrs. Rena Carouthers of 1581 South Ninth street and Mrs. H. J. Davis of 1518 Lafayette avenue, two of the 27 persons injured in a rear-end daylight collision on the Creve Coeur Lake line Sunday evening, are in a critical condition at the Missouri Baptist Sanitarium. Most of the others under treatment at the sanitarium are said to have rallied from the shock of surgical operations, but are not out of danger, the surgeons say.

The St. Louis County grand jury is scheduled to meet Wednesday and it is probable that the accident will be one of the first subjects of investigation.

Simultaneously with the beginning of an inquiry by Prosecuting Attorney Lashby, officials of the United Railways Co. have announced that they are trying to devise some means of making traffic safe on the Creve Coeur line but that no such means has yet been found.

The traffic on Sundays and holidays is so heavy that it is necessary to run the cars close together. The running schedule from De Baliviere avenue to Creve Coeur Lake requires the motormen to cover the 15 miles in 45 minutes. If no stops were made, this would call for a speed of 24 miles an hour.

## MUCH-MARRIED MRS. EASTES IN COURT AGAIN

Resists in Denver Lawyer's Suit  
For \$10,000 For Services  
to Her.

Mrs. Marie Fleming-Everest-Brown-Eastes, most-married St. Louis woman, who has spent most of her life in getting into matrimony and getting out again, has once more stepped into the light that beats upon a courtroom.

This time she is not suing for a divorce. She is resisting, in Denver, the suit brought against her for \$10,000 fees by Attorney John Horne Chiles.

Chiles was counsel for Mrs. Eastes when she won her fight for the \$50,000 estate of her former husband, Henry George Brown of Denver.

She has filed an answer to Chiles' suit, in which she said that as her indebtedness to him was incurred more than six years ago the claim is outlawed by the statute of limitations.

Marie Fleming-Everest married Brown at the Christ Church Cathedral in St. Louis when she was 18 years old. He died about two years later. Prior to this, there had been a contract common law marriage with Oscar Elmo. Four weeks after Brown's death she married J. Clark Eastes of East St. Louis.

Then came a spectacular court contest for the large estate left by Brown. Relatives of Brown brought up evidence of the common law contract with Elmo and showed how the contract had

been signed before witnesses at the Planters Hotel in St. Louis and how the attachment of Brown and the young woman continued for two years afterward.

It was urged that the common law marriage was valid and that therefore the later marriage with Brown was null and void and that in consequence the widow could not legally claim the estate. A jury decided in favor of Mrs. Eastes.

Phone your Want Ad to the Post-Dispatch, Olive-6800-Central. Your credit is good if you rent a phone, or your druggist will phone the ad.

## BIG WHEAT HARVEST IS ON

West Kansas Aiding Central  
Section Handic Crop.

SALINA, Kan., June 17.—The wheat harvest was on actively today in this and adjoining counties of Central Kansas. Thousands of acres were being cut. The supply of harvest hands is ample for the present.

A number of men are here from the Western part of the State by agreement, and men from this territory will go west to assist when harvest begins there. The West Kansas harvest is from two to three weeks later than in Central Kansas.



## This Week— Unusual Values!

THIS week will be marked for unusual values—such values as must attract most spirited buying. This sale includes every watch in our immense and exclusive collection and those who attend will effect very considerable savings on the better grade watches. These several items will give an idea of the scope of this sale.



**Frostens Jewelry Company**  
Locust at Seventh.



## Announcement

OWING to the death of Mr. J. F. Sensenbrenner, president of this institution, the immediate reorganization of this business is absolutely necessary.

The administrators of the estate desire to convert our present

## \$200,000 Stock of Men's, Women's and Children's Footwear Women's and Misses' Apparel and Millinery Into Cash Within 60 Days

and to that end will, within a few days, inaugurate an extraordinary selling event that will bring to St. Louisans bargain opportunities in the lines of merchandise mentioned above, that have never been equaled. The occasion will justify you deferring your purchases. See tomorrow's papers.

## Sensenbrenner's SIXTH & ST. CHARLES

WE GIVE EAGLE TRADING STAMPS.

## Women's White Shoes

The Largest Variety in St. Louis  
Button boots, Oxfords, pumps and Colonial, in canvas and nubuck.

\$2.50 to \$5.00  
Sizes and widths for every foot.

## BRANDT'S THE PEEZALL SHOE HOUSE

616-618 Washington St. 616-618 Washington St.

Painless Operations on Teeth  
Depends largely on the man using the instruments. Gentleness and skill is also an important factor.

Women Have Business Ability  
In renting a spare room in the home, or in the steady campaign for roomers in houses fitted up to accommodate those who have no home of their own, the work is usually that of women. Like the St. Louis merchants, these women buy space for advertising on its merits—for the results it brings. This explains why the Post-Dispatch prints more Room and Board Wants regularly than three of its four competitors combined. Why not keep your rooms rented and your table full? All druggists receive and telephone want ads to the Post-Dispatch.

St. Louis' ONE BIG Want Medium.

## To Build a Home—

First have the plans drawn. Know in advance that the house will be, when completed, what you want it and as you want it.

## To Build Your Savings Account—

First, determine the amount you can save each week. Adjust your necessary expenses so that what you save will not deprive you of necessities—then deposit your savings every week just as you pay your other expenses—with regularity.

## The Amount You Save—

is of secondary importance. Better to save a single dollar each week than to save a few dollars once in a while. It is the small amounts—deposited regularly and persistently—that build substantial savings accounts.

## One Dollar—

deposited in your Savings Account each week, with the 3½% interest we allow, will amount to \$284.25 in 5 years. Two dollars saved and deposited each week means \$568.50 to your credit in 5 years.

## You Wouldn't Plan a House—

to cost beyond your means. Neither should you plan to save more than you can conveniently and with regularity. Above all—do not get discouraged. Even though your plans in the past may have failed—make them over, and keep on saving.

## We Are Interested—

in the welfare of every depositor. We want to see each individual customer prosper. Let us help you save.

## Mercantile Trust Co.

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## The Only Place in This City

where you can obtain the celebrated McCray Refrigerators that are used in the finest residences, hotels, clubs, restaurants, etc., is our store, as we have the exclusive agency.

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are without question the best refrigerators made, and are guaranteed to give lasting satisfaction.

Come in and let us show you these superior Refrigerators. Many of them are moderate in price and they are so economical in the use of ice that they soon pay for themselves in saving on ice bills.

Standard Scale & Fixtures Co.  
On Third St.—3 Doors North of  
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## Frank's For FANCY GOODS

821 NORTH SIXTH ST.

## HOLDS CITY HAS POWER TO REPEAL REBER APPROACH

Former Associate City Counselor  
Charles Gives Opinion to F.  
H. Gerhart.

Benjamin H. Charles, former Associate City Counselor, has given an opinion to the effect that the city has the power to repeal the ordinance establishing the Reber approach for the free bridge.

Charles' opinion, which contradicts that recently given by City Counselor Baird, was given to Frank H. Gerhart, who engaged him to go into the legal aspects of the matter.

Speaking of the act of Congress giving to the city power to condemn land in Illinois for an approach, Charles said that the construction of the grant should not "go to the extent of timidly denying the city one of the most important of the incidental powers conferred by Congress." By the grant, he said, Congress made St. Louis its agent in locating the approach.

Charles' Opinion.  
"That agent has located one approach," he said. "But assume the agent has made a vital mistake, and that it has found that instead of establishing an instrument to facilitate interstate commerce, it has so egregiously blundered in locating this approach as to defeat the purpose of Congress. Could it still be said it was the original purpose of Congress to tie the hands of its own agent and that it said, in effect, we wish our agent to do a certain great work, but you may locate one approach only; and if you fail in properly locating that, the work we want you to do can never be done?"

Property Damages.  
The city's powers, Charles continued, are broader than those of a railroad which obtains a limited right of condemnation in establishing its route. He said the precedents which have been cited to show the city's lack of authority are mostly railroad precedents, which do not apply.

"In the absence of statutory restrictions to the contrary," he said, "a paper location is always subject to change." As to the statement that a change of route would damage certain property values, he argued that the effect on property values is incidental and, to a certain degree, inevitable, and that an incorrect location would entail permanent cost on the whole public.

## TELLS OF 'CUTE' GIRL IN MAINTENANCE SUIT

Mrs. Jennie Wingenter Testifies  
That Husband Confirmed  
Gossip Reports.

Mrs. Jennie Wingenter, 6631 South Broadway, suing Anthony G. Wingenter for separate maintenance, testified in Judge Cave's court Monday afternoon that she and her husband separated Oct. 2, 1911, after she had repeatedly heard gossip that he was attentive to another woman. Such gossip, she said, came to her ears nearly every day from persons who said they had seen Wingenter and "his affinity," as the wife called her on the stand, at places of amusement.

The alleged affinity, according to the

wife's testimony, is Miss Mary Richardson, who lives in Carondelet. Mrs. Wingenter said she did not take steps looking toward a separation until the defendant confirmed the gossip by telling her about Miss Richardson and asking, if she did not think "little Mary" was cute. He also told his wife she was too old for him and that he was going to divorce her and marry the other woman, Mrs. Wingenter testified.

## GETTING GRAY?

How to Restore Youthful Color  
of Your Hair.

There is no longer any need of being ashamed of gray or faded hair and feeling that you look older than you really are.

Science has found a simple and easy way to quickly restore the natural color of the hair. Anyone can use the Queen Gray Hair Restorer, a liquid preparation that gives any desired shade from the one package, leaving the hair soft and fluffy and making a lasting color and is not sticky and does not rub off.

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## If Going Away for the Summer

You will want all the news from home. Have the POST-DISPATCH follow you. Change address often as you like. Please furnish both old and new address with each order. Before leaving arrange with your carrier or write the POST-DISPATCH or phone Olive 6800—Central 6800.

## A VEXATIOUS LAW SUIT ENDED.

The decision of the United States Supreme Court upholding the Missouri 2-cent passenger law ends one of the most stubborn and vexatious instances in legal history of resistance to a State enactment.

Only the use of a power whose reasonable exercise had long been recognized as a legitimate State function was sought by the Legislature in passing the bill, and Justice Hughes' opinion, while extremely gratifying to observers of the litigation, establishes no new principle of law. Two-cent laws and kindred regulatory measures had been in force in not a few states prior to the passage of the Missouri law and their entire validity had been affirmed by the courts. As a matter of fact, the question had been disposed of as long ago as the famous Granger cases. The organized obstruction offered by the railroads in view of the clearness of the principle involved is perhaps to be explained as due to the same motives that lead the St. Louis traction company to offer litigious obstruction to the collection of its mill tax.

The Missouri 2-cent law dates back to the period of feverish activity in rate regulation at state capitals that succeeded the enactment of the Federal rate regulation law. After a stubborn opposition in the Legislature, the railroads consented to test the new rate for 90 days and then restored the old rate pending judicial action. An interesting incident of the years during which the lawsuit dragged its slow length through the Federal courts was the institution in the State Supreme Court of an action against the defendant railroads for conspiracy in refusing to obey a State law.

A point not without instruction in the technique of statute-making is that states which classified roads according to their passenger earnings, prescribing the 2-cent rate for the more prosperous and 2½ cents, 3 cents and even greater rates for poor, struggling companies were spared much of Missouri's unfortunate experience. The law of this State applied indiscriminately to all roads more than 45 miles in length, irrespective of earnings.

Another instructive point in the case is the importance Justice Hughes attaches to his decision to the valuation of railroads. While the case has been won for the people on the lines of broad legal principle, official valuation of the roads should precede scientific rate-making.

The history of the case as a whole is a most powerful plea for simplified, expeditious court procedure.

## CREVE COEUR CAR CREWS.

Because of the nature of the country through which it extends, the Creve Coeur route presents difficulties in operation unusual in a trolley line. A point on which the investigation of Sunday's accident should be thorough is the experience of car crews and their familiarity with the topography of the route. The safety of passengers is endangered when they are committed to the care of men familiar only with the city lines.

## SEEKING ST. LOUIS FIRST.

Going away time is at hand and folks are going away. Perhaps 20,000 or 25,000 vacationists will depart between the summer. The other 682,904 of us rise up to ask: Why are they going away? Maybe for the immortal Ben King's reason, that there's nowhere to go but away, just as there's nowhere to come but back.

But let them go. It is a free country and we have no right to protest against the heft. In one sense it does no harm for good citizens to leave St. Louis—it is a great help to the rest of the country, and advises St. Louis, whose pride in her sons is that of the mother of the Gracchi in her jewels. Furthermore, after a sojourn elsewhere the "true St. Louisian" always returns in the spirit of Jim Riley's friend at Terre Haute:

"I've come back in 'a'm content  
To cuss the towns where I have went  
And brag on ourn' and boast and strut  
Around the town of Terry Hut."

We bid vacationists Godspeed, and offer them but one parting suggestion—it will do no harm to brag a little on St. Louis while they are away. Spread the old town's fame. To this end citizens should post themselves before starting. It would be well to devote several days at the beginning of a vacation to seeing St. Louis first.

A few days devoted to points of interest in the vicinity and features of importance in our midst would make St. Louisans better heralds to the outer and lesser world. They are patriotic enough when they come back, but we need more men with the civic pride of the late cotton broker who never left St. Louis without taking along a bottle of Mississippi River mud with which to impart a St. Louis color and flavor to the drinking water he found elsewhere, and advertise his old home town.

## THE TERMINAL DECREE.

Judge Hook's dissenting opinion to the interlocutory decree in the Terminal anti-trust case unquestionably embodies the true interpretation of the Supreme Court's decision. Unless the law is capable of being so twisted that it destroys monopoly and sustains the discrimination and oppression which are its essence and object, it will be the ultimate conclusion of the whole matter. The bridge arbitrary, as the monopoly charge for which the bridge and terminal combine was originally formed, must go.

As yet Judge Hook only differs from Judges Sanborn and Smith on the form of the interlocutory decree. Although he himself thinks the mere repetition of the language of the Supreme Court foreshadows a vague conclusion in the final decree, there is no definite evidence of this in Judge Sanborn's opinion. The other Judges may take Judge Hook's view of the case in the final action on the decree.

Judge Hook declares that the interlocutory decree should definitely abolish all arbitrary and special charges for bridge or terminal service and an injunction should be issued restraining the Terminal Association from imposing the charge. His exposition of his view of the meaning of the Supreme Court's decision as to the arbitrary is clear and convincing. Quoting Mr. Perkins, the railroad expert, who said: "It makes no difference what you call it, arbitrary or differential, or what, it is an amount paid." Judge Hook reasons:

"In considering the fifth paragraph it should be borne in mind that the Supreme Court holds that the Terminal Railroad Association can lawfully operate only as a terminal agency of the various carrying railroads.

"As such, it may make the usual charges for terminal services, like switching and warehousing, but it cannot lawfully interpose itself as a transportation company between the Western roads at St. Louis and the Eastern roads in East St. Louis, and make charges for services of that character.

"It logically results from this that the two cities constitute one commercial and manufacturing center, connected and served by an aggregation of terminal facilities, in which all the railroads are or may be interested and which all may use.

"As regards transportation rates, the several localities of this industrial center should be upon a parity without discrimination, arbitrary or differential. Otherwise the association becomes at once an unlawful combination of carrying railroads."

"Whether imposed by the Terminal Association as an agency, or by the proprietary railroads as the principals, the arbitrary was equally objectionable as a transportation charge and worked a hardship on the commerce of St. Louis."

Putting aside the legal view of the case, let us consider what is right. What could the Supreme Court mean by ordering the abolition of all special or so-called arbitrary charge within the 100-mile zone that is not applied equally to all other traffic outside the 100-mile zone? Unless the arbitrary is referred to, the order is meaningless. In order to justify the 100-mile zone special charge could the railroads impose a charge on outside traffic? Would a special discriminatory charge on traffic originating outside the 100-mile zone justify a similar charge within the zone? If the arbitrary is just, why was it abolished on traffic outside the 100-mile zone?

Judge Hook's opinion is sustained by common sense and the common rule of justice, as well as by law.

Fortunately, there is no difference of opinion on other points of the decree. The monopoly features of the Terminal Association are abolished. No railroads can be excluded from the use of the Terminal tracks on fair terms and no restrictions can be imposed upon railroads using the combination's terminals. In the end the abolition of monopoly restrictions will destroy the monopoly charge—if the Terminal Association is permitted to continue its arbitrary. But the Terminal lawyers interpret the Supreme Court's decision at their client's peril. If they do not conform to it the association is liable to the penalty of dissolution. Finding them obstinately refusing to comply with the intent of the Supreme Court's decision, the Court may order dissolution.

The Terminal Association railroads again have the opportunity to obey the spirit and the letter of the law and to prove their willingness to do justice to St. Louis. They know what is right and what is due St. Louis in the matter of bridge and terminal conditions. We assure them that they will be compelled to treat St. Louis right in the end. The fight will go on until every vestige of discrimination is wiped out.

## A FIREPROOF AEROPLANE.

Andrew Drew, whose object was to promote safe and sane flying, profited by the death of other men in acquiring knowledge for the craft. He caused notes to be taken of the manner in which men were killed and he studied the causes of accidents. It remained for Drew himself to furnish a lesson by which all airmen should profit.

Drew's fall was due to flames destroying his plane. In the light of the accident, and others similar, it seems strange that material destructible by fire should have been used for wings in close proximity to a gasoline engine, which is apt to flood and spurt flame. Experienced aviators now confess this mistake, and the aeroplane of the near future will undoubtedly be made of stuff that will not take fire like so much gauze.

## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Thanks for Kind Treatment.  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
Permit me, through the columns of your valuable paper to thank the management of the Post-Dispatch for the manner in which they have treated their employee, J. C. Jones—who met with an accident on a scenic railway and especially to thank the secretary and members of Web Pressman's Union No. 2 of St. Louis, and also the clinic of the city hospital of St. Louis, who have come to the front in this dire case of adversity to his parents and immediate family.  
JOSEPH JONES, HIS FATHER,  
MRS. S. A. JONES AND HIS  
BROTHER AND SISTER.

Mr. Elms Will Not Retire.  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
In a recent interview with a polite representative of your esteemed paper I am made to say that it is my intention to retire from business. This is not strictly correct, as I have no idea of doing so at present, business with me being a pleasure while aided by my present valued assistants, and it will be my aim to help by my presence and counsel those who have so faithfully labored to help bring my business to its present prosperous condition. JAMES C. ELMS.

The Full Crew Law.  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
The letter in regard to full crew law in last evening's Post-Dispatch, signed by an engineer, reminds me of the story of the Christian martyrs given to the lions; that is where early Christians endured martyrdom rather than forsake principle. Today the trainmen are doing everything to promote the interest of the people and welfare of the railroad man, yet we have to suffer the insults of such people as signed the article mentioned. It is the blood of the trainmen that is the seed from which grew interests which promote the welfare and safety. We have made many sacrifices for principle, struggled for a place in life where we could place before the Legislature and the people an intelligent issue worthy of consideration. Again I would ask your kindness in letting the people know these facts and get ready for the proposition which will be brought before them in 1914. E. L. DAGNER,  
1817 La Salle street.  
Member Pacific 64. B. of R. T. City.

Locked Swings at Playgrounds.  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
We go very often to different playgrounds here in St. Louis, and always the swings are locked. Now, why can't something be done to have these swings used for the enjoyment of the children and not keep them always locked for ornaments. A. D.

Sunday Closing Law Again.  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
On Tuesday, June 3, I read an article relative to Sunday closing, on the editorial page of your paper, signed "Uncle Tom." Let Mr. "Uncle Tom" come down on certain streets in the retail district and I feel confident that he will readily alter his opinion. They open up their stores at 7 a. m. and close them every evening at 10, and 12 on Saturdays, obliging the poor slaves to stay until the last moment, so naturally they have very little time for themselves, especially those who have families. When they get home at night they are found sleeping, and the same is the case in the morning when they depart for work. So why not close up these monarchs of the dollar on Sunday and give these poor slaves one day's rest? C. K. AND L. B.

Cruel Practices at Dog Pound.  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
Last week a little pet fox-terrier, having gone into the street without its collar and license, was snared with a wire that cut and lacerated its throat and was thrown into a wagon crowded full with other animals, was trampled on and smothered during a long journey to the city dog pound. On arriving there it was thrown violently through a window, or hole in the wall, into a pit. When its owner arrived the little animal was lying crushed and cramped, with one of its legs broken, among a hundred or more animals. An appeal that it be put out of its misery was made, with the reply that this could not be done, because there was no provision for killing an animal, excepting on two regular days of the week—that this suffering creature would have to lie there from Tuesday until Friday, if it should live that long. No one was willing to assume responsibility for deviating from this program and it was only after much hesitation that the owner, having paid the usual fee for release, was permitted to call in a man from the street to kill the dog.

Why should the business of a dog pound, a city institution, be conducted in a way that causes the very name of the institution to be regarded as a synonym of everything that is cruel, vile and despicable? CABANNE.

My Word!  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
Does the British Premier now wear the white flour of a blameless life? If so, he is entitled to a plate of hot biscuits. JONATHAN.

Find Married Life "Lonesome."  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
I was amazed at Wilson H. Stites' letter in Monday's Post-Dispatch. In one part he said: There is not a healthy, well-balanced young woman who had not rather be a wife and mother than go out and work. Well, now, I, from actual experience working in a large factory, can tell you many a healthy young woman who would like to and has become a wife, but very seldom a mother, and nine-tenths of them never have a home of their own, but go boarding, and the same nine-tenths will be back to work one or two days after they are married. Probably they are compelled to, or are not. As one of them said: "It is too lonesome in a boarding house; that's why I came back."

There is another who claims she is separated from her husband, but at the same time she meets him every night near the factory door and stays with him Saturday nights and Sunday. Now I think these are the kind we ought to get after and run out of the factories and stores—then probably our younger sisters would have a better chance.  
A WOMAN SHOE WORKER.

Birds Do Not "Set," but "Sit."  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
While it may be true that the female ostrich in the Forest Park Zoo may "set a valuation on herself" by sitting upon and hatching her eggs, she cannot set this valuation by "sitting." Fowls do not "set" for the purpose of hatching eggs, a fact which your writer of ostrich wisdom might have ascertained by a little study of the dictionary. Does he not owe a public apology to this poor bird for the impossible task he has set her?

No Perfect Voters.  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
Here is another foolish paragraph on women: The only member of Public Education in Pittsburgh who voted against the removal of Supt. Heister, charged with immorality, was a woman. As the case seemed plain it is impertinent to inquire whether the introduction of the woman voter in politics would always mean a moral uplift?  
Considering the exceedingly small percentage of moral uplifting we get from the average male voter this paragraph falls flat. Nobody claims perfection for women voters; certainly the male voter makes a poor showing. OLD MAN.



CONDUCTOR—"Another big wreck!"  
TRACTION MAGNATE—"Was the money box broken?"

## JUST A MINUTE

Written for the Post-Dispatch by Clark McAdams.

IF NO. 10,006.

If you believed the State would beat the railroads, And saved your cash receipts day after day; If you demanded evidence of purchase, And had the wit to put the things away; If you can prove you went to Kansas City, And paid the extra half cent for your fare; If you have friends in Mexico or Macon, And always saved your cash slip going there; If you enjoy the counsel and the friendship Of someone who can always look ahead; If you believed, for all their old injunctions, The two-cent law was anything but dead; If you had just as much faith in our lawyers As you had fear for those the railroads had; If you were sure the law was passed in reason, And not so much that anyone was mad; If you are optimistic in these matters, And knew we had them beaten all the way; If you have planned these six long years of waiting To get your money back some other day; If you have filled a safety lock box somewhere With cash receipts you very soon can send Around to get your one-half cent refund on— Then you are very fortunate, my friend.

## RAIN.

Asked what the religion of the Moki Indians of Arizona is, a gentleman who frequently visits them answered:

"Rain."  
"What is their heaven?"  
"Rain."  
"What is their hell?"  
"Rain."

"Rain is the great desideratum with them," he explained. "When they pray they pray for rain. When it rains, that is heaven. When it doesn't rain, that is hell. All their songs, their dances, their festivals and folk lore are associated with rain. Their gods, briefly, are those who cause rain; their devils are those who prevent it."

"This has amused a great many people. A silly religion, it has been called. This celebrated Snake Dance, which is held at the height of the dry season on the Painted Desert, where the Moki live has especially amused the well-watered. However, the probability is that it is a religion expressly suited to life in that region. At any rate, civilization has utterly failed to dislodge it. This missionary of another religion who goes in there very soon gets to singing and dancing for rain himself. Nothing else matters. The workers in the folk lore of the Moki have translated into English songs very much like those of Solomon—all about rain. There has been nothing else seriously thought about in God's powder horn, as the Moki country has been called, for thousands of years."

Let us hope for the sake of Christian civilization that the Moki do not take advantage of our present plight in the Central Mississippi Valley and send us any missionaries. It probably would not take much to start a Missouri or a Kansas farmer to dancing for rain right now. The time has come when desperation needs but a suggestion to become audible in song, or to resort to some old Indian remedy like doing the tango with live rattlesnakes. The desert prescribes for its own. What would happen if a painted Moki rain priest put on a song and dance somewhere over in Southern Illinois at this time and rattled his dry sound of magic in some of our ears? It oughtn't to be hard for one of our readers to capture the price.

the Moki feel about rain when we are not having any ourselves. For the present we are disposed to believe that they feel very sensibly about it.

Commencement time  
Is drawing near;  
The sweet girl grad  
Will soon be here.  
—Birmingham Age-Herald.

And in her own  
Sweet, lovely way,  
She'll settle problems  
Of the day.  
—Johnstown Democrat.

Then she'll go home  
With Bud and pa,  
And settle down  
To helping ma.  
—Youngstown Telegram.

Likely she will!  
Not this sweet belle!  
What? Help poor ma?  
She will like!  
—Johnstown Democrat.

Oh, yes, she will  
Help her poor ma  
To get a nice  
New son-in-law.  
—Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

Tut-tut, good men!  
We must not cuss.  
She would not marry  
One of us.  
—A CHANCE TO WIN \$100.

From the De Kalb (Ga.) Tribune.  
The St. Louis Post-Dispatch has announced a prize of \$100 for the person sending in the ten best reasons why the people of other states should come to Missouri. The contest will close July 1, and all answers should be sent to the Post-Dispatch.

The contest was started to arouse interest in Missourians, themselves, to try to keep people here and induce others to come. Now we think Buchanan County is some of the best cream of the State and with the best reasons before your eyes every day, it oughtn't to be hard for one of our readers to capture the prize.

## WATERSON'S TRIBUTE TO HARVEY.

From the Louisville Courier-Journal.  
Whatever may happen to George Harvey, that is a distinction which cannot be denied him. To take a more or less obscure scholar and college president by the hand, to lead him from the far-away glimmer of suggestion into the limelight of the probable, to conceive and arrange a State campaign with this creation of his single idealistic fancy at the actual head of it, proves two things, extraordinary prescience in discovery and uncommon genius for organization.

He made no mistake in the ability and aptitude of his man. Neither did he miscalculate his availability. • • • Office is but a badge of servitude. Greeley and Raymond were unwise to summon him to the front. It is as if George Harvey had made his mark even as they made theirs; a bold, strong mark; and we do not see that he could have added much to his fame by prolonging what is at best but a grind from day to day to the last syllable of recorded contumely, travail and drugging. Even if his career be behind him it is solid and brilliant. He is his own master, not poorly off in this world's goods; what more could he want?

It is to his credit that he put Harper's Weekly in clean hands when he might have had more for it from yellow hands. He did not take the pitcher too often to the well. In short, henceforth he is a free nigger and not a slave nigger, and can go a-fishing whenever he likes, amusing himself meanwhile with his North American Review. Though the golden bowl of politics be a trifle fractured at the fount, what boots it to the pump in heart?

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NEED FOR RAILROAD VALUATION.  
From the Detroit News.  
After the court day hold definitely is that the rate must not be confiscatory. If it is not to be confiscatory, we must have a new valuation of the railroads. And the court goes so far as to say that speculation and conjecture enter into the methods used in the Northern Securities appraisal, and neither the State nor the railroads have brought forward convincing evidence as to the proper method of determining the cost of reproduction. The court, however, seems to reject the railroad's theory of appraisal in a general way—the cost of reproduction "new." The original cost of reproduction remains a possible basis. No merely hypothetical multipliers are permissible. But there can be no room for water in the appraisal. And that is the important point.

Starling Confession.  
From the Louisville Courier-Journal.  
"Although they had a mint bed at the White House during the Roosevelt administration, we do not remember that Henry Watterson ever spent the night there."—Boston Globe.  
Why, he dined there occasionally and never heard of the mint bed. Perhaps it was because he never drank a mint julep in his life. But, why mention it?

Is Right and Is President, Too.  
From the Baltimore Sun.  
It is slowly beginning to dawn upon the people that this administration illustrates the fact that a man can be both right and be President.

Woman's Sphere in London is the Same.  
From the Columbus Star.  
Woman's sphere in London is the same.

## ANSWERS TO QUERIES

BEAUTY CULTURE.  
OLIVE.—For hat, buy tube of paint of color you want. Dissolve in cup of gasoline or benzine. With tooth brush cover evenly all over. Then lay in outdoor shade several hours. Artificial flowers, lace, gloves and ostrich tips and fancy fashions of any kind may be treated in this way.

VERY ANXIOUS.—A beauty writer says: To steam the face means to leave it in exactly the condition of the hands of a woman who does laundry work; shriveled, with skin almost ready to peel and without elasticity. This cannot be right, and the woman who deliberately fills a bowl with boiling water in which to steam her face over the rising steam is very apt to find herself in a deplorable condition when the cloth withdrawn, she tries to open her eyes. The only way of applying hot water is by using soft cloth, and then the water should only be pleasantly warm, not hot enough to give the least sensation of burning. If this process is kept up long enough the skin grows soft and pink as a baby's, with the same fairly moisture noticed on the baby's face when it is full of perspiration. It is shown that the pores are acting just enough, and the next thing to do is to be sure that while the face is in this condition every bit of the dust and grime of the day is washed out.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.  
M. M. W.—To make a sofa pillow of cigarette silk: Buy a piece of dark colored satin. Dissolve in cup of gasoline or benzine. With tooth brush cover evenly all over. Then lay in outdoor shade several hours. Artificial flowers, lace, gloves and ostrich tips and fancy fashions of any kind may be treated in this way.

MARTHA.—Baked egg plant: Make a dressing as for stuffed peppers, except that a little more salt, pepper and butter are used. Cut the egg plant in two lengthwise, scrape out the inside and remove the seeds. Then with the dressing and return to the shells. Place on a pan and in the oven. Cook 45 minutes. Fried egg plant: Cut the vegetable in slices about half an inch thick and wide. Sprinkle the slices with salt and pile them upon one another; put a place with a weight on top and press down. Let rest an hour, then remove weight and plate. Add one tablespoon water, half tablespoon salt and half teaspoon pepper to an egg; beat well; dip the slices of egg plant in the egg, then in dried bread crumbs. Spread on a dish 20 or more minutes. Fry until brown (in covered fat). Drain on a dish, season with pepper, and serve with salad oil, sprinkle with dried bread crumbs and brown.

LAW PAPERS.  
J. B. W.—Phone License Collector, city hall phone.

MABLE.—If divorcee waited a month to marry again, would not be likely to annul divorce decree in any ordinary case.

H. A. R.—You can't sue city employee. If he does not pay, report him to the head of the department in which he is employed.

G. N.—If two parties dissolve their common-law marriage, and marry others, they would be guilty of bigamy, but it is not illegal that anybody would go to the trouble of procuring them.

WITNESS.—Witness summoned from another state should demand that his expenses be paid in advance. If they are not so paid, he need not attend. If he advances the money himself, he must wait for payment until the usual time for paying witness fees.

MISCELLANEOUS.  
W. H. H.—Admiral George Dewey is living in Washington, D. C.

READER.—We know of no telegraph company teaching telegraphy free of charge. The United Wireless, 42 Broadway, New York, takes apprentices.

OWNER.—Flees on collar: Upon four corners of collar, sew four two-quart jars of boiling water, and with this wash the animal. Repeat the operation three or four times, or wash him well in two gallons of water to which you have added a cupful of kerosene. Some people later wash with strong soda made of a soap. Swab with pure water and comb his hair.

O. F. E.—We don't find Malone's "Opportunity's Reply." Some reader may find it for you.

Eddy wrote in the Atlantic: Foolish is he who says that his knapsack is a knook but once a furtive moment start, fearing lest he shall hear; then hasty away, glancing back, and return no more. Not so. I knook and wait, and o'er and o'er come back to look at the knook from his play, or wake the dreamer with my vain uproar. Out of a thousand knooks, and then, one, if he hear again and yet again, will fancy that he has knooked. The rest half pursued, half annoyed, return to play or sleep, but seek not the knook. Who has knooked, the knook is a guest may be.

READER.—There is said to be a regular demand for snakes in the States. These statements were made several years ago: Hitherto the supply has been obtained chiefly from Asia, but that has always been more or less uncertain in quality and character. Recently Australia has appeared as a competitor in the market, but to what extent cannot be readily ascertained, for the price of snakes is so low that of radius, is measured by grains and commensurate with the value of the snake. A value of from \$5 to \$50 per grain will amply repay the collector. Further, with the development in medical science the demand will increase and lead to a corresponding increase in the supply necessarily remaining limited. The headquarters of the Australian supply are in the States, and the industry became established by a skillful naturalist. He is reported as obtaining the venom of the cobra, or snake—the death adder, the brown snake, the rattlesnake, the copperhead, or brown banded adder. Each of these has to be caught unharmed, a task demanding considerable knowledge of the ways of snake life and no little skill in the work of capture.

W. R. D.—Anything that will sink in a glass of water will sink to the bottom of the deepest sea, wrote Sir John Murray, who was the first to explain scientifically by the fact that water is one of the most incompressible substances. It can be compressed only one two-thousandths of its bulk. Now, buoyancy, the floating capacity of a thing, is its specific lightness as compared with the weight of an equal volume of another substance, water being usually taken as the standard. Water being practically incompressible, it follows that a gallon of water two miles beneath the surface of the ocean weighs only an appreciable fraction more than a gallon of water at the surface, despite the crushing pressure upon it. In consequence, whatever the depth, for instance, remains in its buoyancy, and will sink in it. Even a pin, it is declared, will sink to the very bottom of the ocean in its profoundest parts. This theory is confirmed by the fact that the Atlantic cable, laid on the floor of the sea, in some places at a depth of five miles. Therefore, the Titanic now rests at the bottom of the ocean south of the south end of the Great Banks of Newfoundland. But was crushed by the pressure of two vertical miles of water. The Titanic was crushed in a hydraulic press. No, scientists reply. The Titanic probably sank slowly, resistance to the water, and her bulk to the water, and as she glided downwards every cubic inch of space within her hull was filled with water. The hull once filled, the water pressure was the same from all sides, and the hull would retain its shape. Therefore, the Titanic sank slowly and without the steel hull is still approximately the same shape as when it sank. It was launched at Belfast, save for the gash ripped in its side by the iceberg. (Driving water, time lag, rest.)



## THE CLOWN'S CODE

HOW a woman tempted him and he violated the rule of his life. A story of two persons who had been the world's favorites but now are old and poor.

By THOMAS L. MASSON.

IT was dusk when the old clown came in from his walk and slowly moved the long stairs, which creaked mournfully with his weight. The fire in the wood stove had almost gone out; he put on another stick, turned in the draft, and sat for some moments in silence, rubbing his attenuated hands.

Aided by long years of constant make-up, time had done its deadly work upon his face. The result was a network of involved lines—lines that crossed and recrossed and ran into one another, presenting a sort of curious facial puzzle. At a short distance these lines seemed to resolve themselves into a picture; in which, like a composite photograph, all the scenes of the man's life had left their traces.

He went over to a battered leather trunk in the corner, opened it, took out a huge scrapbook and began reading from its yellow pages. It contained the history of his many triumphs. It told in clippings—varying from a single sentence to pages with his picture in the center—the story of his stage career. These were some of the headlines:

Flaubert Outdoes Himself.  
Flaubert, the Prince of Clowns.  
Flaubert Funnier Than Ever.  
The Inimitable Flaubert.

Little Jimmy at His Best.  
How many times had Flaubert read all this! Now, in the long obscurity of age that had come upon him, it was his only consolation. Once more he lived in the arena, or on the immense stage of eucalyptus, and performed his delightful antics, while blue-eyed children clapped their hands in glee, and all childlike grownups forgot their dignity and renewed their youth.

The old man, absorbed in his occupation, read on and on, at last stopping to brush his cheek or blow his nose with a tattered silk handkerchief.

Suddenly his ears were greeted by an unfamiliar sound. He raised his head. To one who lives in solitude an unusual trifle is always an object of curiosity. He listened intently.

A cab had driven up and stopped in front of the house. There was a pause. A bell had been rung. Steps were coming up the stairs—slow as slow as his own. There was a knock. Once, twice.

He opened the door. A woman stood without. She, too, was old; but her eyes gleamed still like diamonds in the frosty air of the hall.

"Little Jimmy?"

"Good heavens! You, Josephine?"

Like two old French Generals who meet long after their wars, they embraced each other impulsively. Josephine Tuccillo, the prima donna—whose name, now obsolete in the annals of the stage, had once been a household word—and Little Jimmy Flaubert, whom a whole generation could not think of without a smile, once more stood face to face, in the last quarter of life—when the sun sinks low in the heavens, and the shadows of a long, uncertain night slowly gather.

Mr. Flaubert handed his guest the only wooden rocker in the room. She sank into it, loosened her furs from her neck, and toasted her feet on the stove rim.

"Ah, mon ami, what a search I have had for you! I went to Halber, the son of your old manager. He did not know your address. He sent me to an agency. They had a record of the place you had lived in a year ago. From there I came here. Let me see; it must be 15 years since I have seen you."

For a time, like two voluble children, they disputed about dates. Then he said gently:

"But tell me of yourself, Josephine. Where do you live? What do you do for yourself? Why did you seek me out?"

He smiled with almost his old-time warmth.

"There will be a scandal, I am sure of it! Listen! Just as dusk was falling an equipage was seen to drive rapidly up to M. Flaubert's bachelor apartment. There alighted a lady, heavily veiled—you have no veil, Josephine, but that does not matter. For the gossip all things are possible. Very well, then, a lady, heavily veiled, alights. She ascends to monsieur's apartment. After that—it does not matter. The thing has been done. Any tale will do to finish with. Ah, my friend, never mind! I am so glad to see you. I have been so lonely here."

"I know," she replied. "I understand. I see it all." Her sharp eyes had taken in every detail of the room. "But I, Little Jimmy—I, too, have been lonely. Ah, you do not know. But I forgot, you do know! For have you not had the same experience as I? Were you not once one of the world's favorites? Ah, yes, I have a scrapbook also—several of them. They are my solace."

She put her hand on his arm. She had kept herself well—better than her friend. Remnants of a great beauty still clung to her, and, with an old-time vanity, her clothes were still gay. A stranger might easily have said that her way of dressing was too young for her age.

"I could be and if I would," she said. "But I never permit myself to be. It is fatal, you know, to one's health. Only, at times, I think, I am thinking now, Little Jimmy—thinking of our career. What triumphs I have had! Do you remember the night the Emperor carried away by his enthusiasm, invited me to his palace? And now it is all gone. A younger generation has come up, and those I lived with have all passed away. But you, Little Jimmy, you were foolish. Why did you not save

your money? I lost much of mine; still, I have enough left to live upon."

The clown smiled gaily. "I am quite comfortable. It does not matter."

"Tut! You can't deceive an old friend. I suspected something. I—"

"He betrayed an air of alarm. 'You did not come,' he said, 'for that, hope-to-to—'

"Nonsense! I see you are the same as ever, as proud and vain as a peacock!" She rose suddenly. "Come, Little Jimmy, let us go out to dinner!"

He rose with her. There was anxiety in his voice.

"Oh, no, thank you," he said. "Really, Josephine, I cannot—I have another engagement this evening."

"Nonsense!" she repeated. "Come, Jimmy! You must!"

She put her hand up to his cheek and turned his face toward hers.

"See here, Little Jimmy," she said. "Do you still love me?"

"I have always loved you!"

"Of course; you cannot help it. That is why I came. We are two old people left alone in the world. Our triumphs are past. Our work is done. Our friends are dead. Why should we sit apart and moan? Come now! Be a good boy!"

"I cannot, I—"

Then, with a change as swift as lightning, the artist in her—all the combined impulsiveness and dramatic force of her nature—came over her. This old friend, reluctant, poor, filled with pride, acted upon her like a recalcitrant audience. She turned upon him her flashing eyes.

"How dare you say that?" she said. "You are, you pray, to refuse an invitation to dinner? Here I not often dine with you? Well, now you are to dine with me. You understand. Come, where is your coat?"

She sprang to the tumble-down wardrobe, pulled out an old ulster and pressed it over him. Then, with an imperious gesture, she waved him out of the room into the hall, holding his faded silk hat in her hand.

He obeyed her without a word. Only in the hall he said:

"Dear me, Josephine, the years have not changed you, have they? I ought not to be doing this! Why, my dear, I have never dined as the guest of a woman in my life. It has always been 'part to go to'."

"Nonsense! You are too old now to have any code. Young sports like us no longer need a code. What are morals to us? It is high time that someone took you in hand. Besides, I am not doing it for you. Don't you know that I have always been selfish? You are a good companion. There is none better, I am sure. And am I not all alone, and lonesome? It is I, therefore, that you must blame. I need you."

The lights in the restaurant, the laughter, the sudden return to a long-vanished existence, acted upon Flaubert like a tonic. His face grew 10 years younger. They sat in a far corner, remote from the music. No one knew them; no artists who once had ruled their world.

Her old habit came back upon her swiftly. She ordered the dinner without looking at the card. A thin soup—a small duck—a salad—a bottle of wine from the sunny vineyards of the Rhone. It was wonderful, under the spell of their surroundings, to see them both relax. Story after story came from him. His observations of life, like old wine, had a flavor all their own.

At last she lifted the glass, half empty, to her lips.

"Come," she said, "let us drink, to ourselves!"

"I drink, mademoiselle, to your wit, to your beauty, to your genius, for these are to me as fresh as ever."

"And I drink to the artist, Flaubert, that whom there is none greater. Also I drink to you. She looked at him steadily, fixedly, with that wonderful light in her eyes which yet remained undimmed at nearly threescore and ten. "Little Jimmy," she said, "I drink to you two. Let us never part again on earth!"

He lowered his glass.

"You know, my dear," he said, "I am quite poor."

"I have enough for both."

He laughed.

"Really, mademoiselle, I could hardly pay the priest."

"Dear me! I know one who will be pleased to do the slight service for nothing. Once, as a young man of the

## BE A MYSTERY, MONSIEUR NADA ADVISES WOMEN



Eight rules for the charming of men compiled by a famous French artist, the central meaning of which is—be a mystery.

FIRST—When in company do not appear to be too much interested in the conversation of others. Speak little and without gestures. Be an enigma.

Second—When at the table, taste rather than eat, and employ studied movements to show off the beauty of the hand and arm.

Third—When entertaining in your own home or in a box at the opera, have near you several long-stemmed roses and appear to inhale their fragrance from time to time.

Fourth—Let your words be few. Never speak without saying something precise. The beauty of many women is destroyed when they open their mouths.

Fifth—To obtain suppleness of the back and neck, which gives rhythm to the walk, make several turns about the room with a Greek vase balanced upon the head.

Sixth—Wear sandals. High heels are abominable and destroy the balance of the figure.

Seventh—The voice should be low and modulated.

Eighth—It is not permitted to remove one's cloak without a gesture worthy of Cleopatra, nor to shake hands with an acquaintance encountered in the street with a short and ugly motion.

By Nixola Greeley-Smith.

WHEN you have mastered these rules you will be a bachelorette of grace, as grace has been revealed to M. Nada, a French artist and illustrator, famous in his own country for his pictures of beautiful women, and who in turn has passed the revelation along to his admirers. It may be that American women may call some wisdom from M. Nada's guide to grace, which, as he uses the word, does not mean merely physical rhythm, but harmony of the mind and spirit as well.

Still, I can't say that I care very much for the suggestion that one should talk without gestures, but should arrange to eat with elaborate motions which will show off the hand and arms. It is presumably to and for men that these beauties are to be displayed, and dinner is a bad time for attracting men, since their attention is then fairly well focused on their own practical but hardly delectable gestures. The after-dinner period supplies a much better occasion.

The recommendation to taste rather than eat has no novelty for the thousands of women who are on a diet for flesh reduction. They taste rather than eat now. And so long as the fad for world, he was among my ardent admirers."

"You are in earnest?"

"Surely. And you consent?"

She put forth her hand.

"Josephine, I have always loved you. But—"

"Four hands!"

He gave it, under the spell of her eyes. They arose from the table. They threaded their way out of the restaurant. The attendant helped him on with his shabby ulster. The door was opened for them. They stood for an instant alone in the vestibule.

He bent over her.

"Josephine," he said, "promise me one thing. I know I am weak. I guess I'm growing old. I know, old as I am, that, like Adam, I have fallen again tonight. But promise me that you'll never let me tempt you."

"Don't you see that if I should, it is you who could hold it up against me, for am I not the temptress? Tut, tut, my dear, it is just as it should be. It was my fault in the beginning. It was I who delayed matters."

They were stooped and kissed her. As he put her into the carriage with all the ease and grace of the Flaubert of old, he turned to the coachman.

"Home!" he said proudly.

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## BEAUTY SECRETS OF NINON de l'ENCLOS

A PARIS beauty who laughed at a Queen. Revelations written for the Post-Dispatch.

BY ANDRE DUPONT.

IN the year 1666 a plain, untidy little Swedish lady went to call upon a beautiful woman who was talked about all over France. The Frenchwoman showed no surprise over the entirely unexpected visit. She did her best to entertain her strange caller, who came attended by a great retinue of servants, but for all that was most miserably dressed in a dirty yellow petticoat—as the dress skirt of that day was called—an ink stained blouse and a masculine coat, while on her head she wore the plumed hat of a warrior.

One shoulder was higher than the other; she slouched in her chair, and for greater ease put one foot on a low table which happened to be near.

The Frenchwoman, on the contrary, was clothed in the height of the prevailing mode. She had on a rich gown of pink satin, looped up over a petticoat of white brocade. About her lovely neck was a heavily jeweled chain of gold.

Her hair fell to her shoulders in carefully trained ringlets, as was then the fashion for both men and women. Her polished manners and amusing conversation greatly charmed her visitor.

The untidy great lady was Christina, Queen of Sweden, while the beautiful Frenchwoman was the famous Ninon de l'Enclos, of whom, perhaps, more witty anecdotes are told than of any other celebrity in French history. For years she was without a rival in the social leadership of Paris. Both ladies and gentlemen of the court frequented her salon.

It became the fashion for young men and old to throng around her. And the best of debuts for a young gentleman who wished to make a figure in society was in introduction to Mlle. de l'Enclos.

Even the Queen of France was jealous of her and once went so far as to intimate that it was high time Ninon retired to a religious house, meaning to send her to a convent, which was then considered to be a very convenient place for getting a rival out of the way.

The witty Frenchwoman sent word to Her Majesty that she was perfectly willing if a cell in the Grand Chateau was put at her disposal. Now the point of this answer, which set all Paris laughing, was that the Grand Chateau was a monastery. The Queen was furious at being made fun of. But Ninon's friends were so powerful that she dared molest her no further.

This story and many more Christina had heard during the 10 years that she was on the throne of Sweden, so it was no wonder that after she had resigned her crown (because ruling bored her and because she wanted to live her own life and go and come as she pleased) one of the first persons she sought out in her travels through France was the much-talked-about Mlle. de l'Enclos. Never was there a greater contrast between two women. Christina spent nearly all her time in study. She dressed dress and all the arts of the toilet. She had her hair combed but once a week, because she said it took up too much time to have it done every day.

"Some people," said she, "are foolish enough to make themselves slaves and martyrs to clothes and fashion and are unhappy if they do not spend their lives between the mirror and the comb."

Ninon, on the other hand, had made a profound study of all the secrets of

beauty. She had invented certain remedies and cosmetics to which she ascribed the roses and lilies of her complexion. She went through exercises every day to make her graceful. When she was in the country she took long walks in the early morning when the dew was on the grass. She drank milk instead of wine and preferred vegetables to meat. And so "she remained beautiful as long as she lived," as the old chroniclers tell us.

The famous "Pommade Ninon," as it was called in honor of its inventor, was made of four ounces of oil of almonds, three ounces of rose water and one ounce of spermaceti, melted together. Then three ounces of the expressed juice of the house leek and a few drops of perfume were put in and the whole was stirred until the mixture solidified. This was used like cold cream and was said to preserve the skin from wrinkles. It did not keep very well and had to be made fresh every week.

Bleaches and beaus of those days had a curious custom of blackening the eyebrows heavily, no matter what the complexion, chanced to be. These heavy brows can be plainly seen in Ninon's portrait, poor as the picture is both as a work of art and as the likeness of a beautiful woman.

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view of the Egyptian climate and her generous desire to display her charms, may be doubted, I am sure she removed it with a royal gesture, and so one may do well to imitate her, as M. Nada says. To his eight rules he adds the final warning that if you cannot follow

them without effort you will do well to "return to Mother Nature."

I am a very great admirer of that somewhat old-fashioned lady, and to me, at least no acquired grace can equal the fluent beauty of a child's gestures, or the gambolling of a kitten or a playful puppy. In fact, if I had to present a single formula of grace I should say: Study the cat, if you seek to be lazily, alluringly graceful, but if you wish to give an impression of energy and power, as well as of beauty, study the leaping loveliness of a colt.

Still, Mother Nature, as M. Nada intimates, is somewhat behind the times. So, perhaps, his artificial rules of grace are best.

What Became of It?

"WANT more string?" said Mrs. Hooper, as she drew her arms out of the washbub. "Anybody might think I was made of string, the way you go on. Why, I give you a great, long piece of string only yesterday. Can't think what you do with all the string."

"Well, mother," said Dick, "I know what I did with that piece. First you took half of it back again."

"Tom's your elder brother, and it's your place to give way to him."

"Yes, I dare say; but it didn't leave much, and father took half of that to mend his braces what he broke through laughing at the motor accident; and sister had three-fifths of what was left after to tie her hair back."

"Ah, but what did you do with all the rest?"

"All the rest of it! Why, there wasn't but nine inches left to myself, and how I'm going to make a telephone of that!"—The Strand.

Today's Beauty Recipes

By Mrs. D. M. Mills.

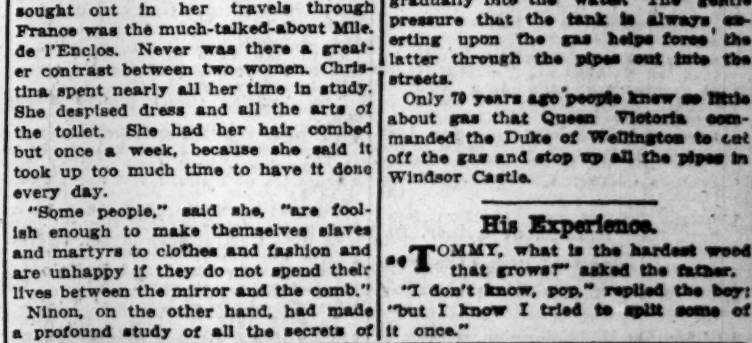
"Dry or powder shampoos may be all right at long intervals, but need less to say they do not remove the dandruff scales, which when permitted to remain on the scalp, cause faded, brittle and falling hair. If you want beautiful, luxuriant and glossy hair use a shampoo that directly attacks the dandruff parasites. Mother's Shampoo does this. It leaves the scalp clean and refreshed and the hair soft, fluffy and lustrous."

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When the woman who has yielded to an unwise inclination finds that her youthful husband is only after her money she is bound to be wretched. If he marry her for love that sentiment is likely to fade, for it is one of the constant follies of young men to find attraction in the charms of mature women. Nearly all men might tell of a first love affair with an older woman and be thankful that they got over it.

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She must not become the wife of the other man if she loves you. Let her wait until she is of age before marrying anyone, and then she can make her own choice.

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CRAVATH & HENDERSON,  
STRONG & CADWALADER, } Counsel.  
New York, May 28, 1913.

**SPEYER & CO.**

Bondholders may deposit their Bonds with the Mississippi Valley Trust Company, Fourth and Pine Sts., St. Louis for transmission to the Depository. **SPEYER & CO.**

**To Holders of St Louis and San Francisco Railroad**

**Company New Orleans, Texas and Mexico Division  
First Mortgage Gold Bonds:**

The undersigned, who own or represent a large amount of the above bonds, have constituted themselves a Committee for the protection of their own interests as bondholders and the interests of other bondholders who become parties to a Bondholders' Protective Agreement, which has been prepared and filed with the Columbia-Knickerbocker Trust Company, designated as Depositary therein.

In view of the fact that the appointment of Receivers for the property of the St. Louis and San Francisco Railroad Company is a sign of default under the bonds, the undersigned hereby

bonds, and in order that the Committee may be in a position to efficiently represent and safeguard the interests of bondholders, should occasion require, the Committee have determined to request the deposit of bonds. Bondholders are accordingly invited to make prompt deposit of their bonds with the Depositary, the Colonial National City Trust Company, at its office, No. 98 Broadway, in the City of New York. OR WITH THE ST. LOUIS UNION TRUST COMPANY, at its OFFICE, CORNER OF FOURTH AND LOCUST STREETS, ST. LOUIS, MO. Bondholders making such deposit will receive certificates of deposit under the above-mentioned Agreement, copies of which will be furnished on application to the Secretary or to either of said Trust Companies.

*Dated New York, June 13, 1913.*

STEEDMAN BUTTRICK, Chairman.  
 LEWIS L. CLARKE,  
 CARL A. de GROOTDORFF,  
 LEWIS E. FRANKLIN,  
 ALFRED LICHTENSTEIN,  
 C. W. PACKARD,  
 G. H. WALKER, Committee.  
 GEORGE E. WARREN, Secretary, 66 Broadway, New York.  
 CARTER, LEDYARD & MILBURN, Counsel.

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**Heights, Union Depot and**  
**Terminal Railroad Company**  
**Mortgage 6% Gold Bonds**  
**Due July 1, 1913**  
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**1st Mortgage 5% Bonds**

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**For Avenue Railway Company**  
**First Mortgage 6% Bonds**  
**Due July 1, 1913**  
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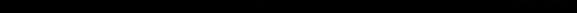
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**WAYS COMPANY OF ST. LOUIS**  
J. B. McCulloch, President

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# POST-DISPATCH DAILY COMIC PAGE



## The Jarr Family

A daily record written for the Post-Dispatch Comic Page.

### Mr. Jarr gets an advance from an outraged husband.

It being fully decided at home that Mr. Jarr was to get a new suit of clothes, the next momentous question was how to finance them. "As soon as the children leave the room I'll see how much money I have to spare," said Mrs. Jarr. "Oh, never mind digging it up, my dear," was Mr. Jarr's genial response to this offer of financial self-sacrifice. "I'll get a cash advance down at the office. Keep your money." As Mrs. Jarr had just about tucked away, she made no great objection to her husband's suggestion. "I only hope you'll get something in fashion, something smart. However, we won't quarrel about it," she remarked. "Clara, Mudridge-Smith and her husband had the most terrible row yesterday, and about clothes, too. And, as she told me over the phone, never in her life had she felt so like putting on all her jewelry and sailing for her electric town car and rushing from the house and beg her bread, rather than be beholden to such a wretch another moment!"

"Quarrels will occur in the best of regulated families," murmured Mr. Jarr. "What was this one about?" "Just nothing. As all quarrels are," replied Mrs. Jarr. "Clara's new dress had come, and, of course, Clara put it right on to see how her husband would like her in it."

"She was going to wear it out somewhere, you mean," interrupted Mr. Jarr. "Why, certainly," Mrs. Jarr went on. "She was going to a bridge party, and Jack Silver was to be there, and Florence Terwilliger, to whom Jack is paying attention, and Mrs. Stryver, and the Bloobidges—the Bloobidges are so lucky everybody thinks they cheat—but she has a sister who married a foreign nobleman, so I can't see how Bouda Bloobidge could do such a thing."

"Yes, yes, go on!" interposed Mr. Jarr. "Mrs. Mudridge-Smith's new dress came home!" "Well, if you'd only be patient till I could tell you!" whimpered Mrs. Jarr. "Old Smith, her husband, was home when the dress came, and was so sure to know how much it cost, and although she only told him about half the real price, he raved terribly over her extravagance. And so, to get him in a better humor, and because she was going to wear it at the bridge party, anyway, she put it on to show him how smart it was; but she happened to walk between him and the light, and then he DID rave and carry on. He said the silhouette was scandalous. That's the way all the old fogies talk, and I told Clara over the telephone not to mind him. As it was, he had slammed out of the house, and she isn't going to speak to him till he apologizes for suggesting she would wear a dress that could be seen through."

"What was the matter?" asked Mr. Jarr. "Wasn't there enough canvas on the spars?" "I suppose you mean that the figure was discernable," replied Mrs. Jarr. "But even so, fashion demands it." "Well," said Mr. Jarr, "when I get some new apparel my figure will not be discernable; but I am sorry to hear the old man and his fair young bride have had a clare-up, because he is beginning to see through her, so to speak. For it will make it harder for me to get an advance on my salary this day."

Mr. Jarr's forebodings in this regard were prophetic. He found the boss in a grim humor, such a humor as only a man who is tyrannized over at home vents by tyrannizing over his employees—if he has any.

"An advance on salary?" questioned the boss when Mr. Jarr approached and made his request. "Really, Mr. Jarr, extravagance is the ruin of this country. Do you know, sir, I have had employees who were with me 30 years and who never asked either for a raise or an advance?"

Mr. Jarr murmured the names of two such model employees. And the boss gave him a murderous glance. For the names were of a bookkeeper and cashier who had helped themselves to the funds of the firm for a decade or two.

"Hem! See Mr. Johnson," growled the boss. "But it's very irregular. And it must not be established as a precedent." Johnson, the present cashier, was an office crony of Mr. Jarr. But advancing \$5 was a business matter.

"You'll have to get an order and get it O. K'd in the regular way," boss Johnson, as though Mr. Jarr was asking for the cashier's good right eye.

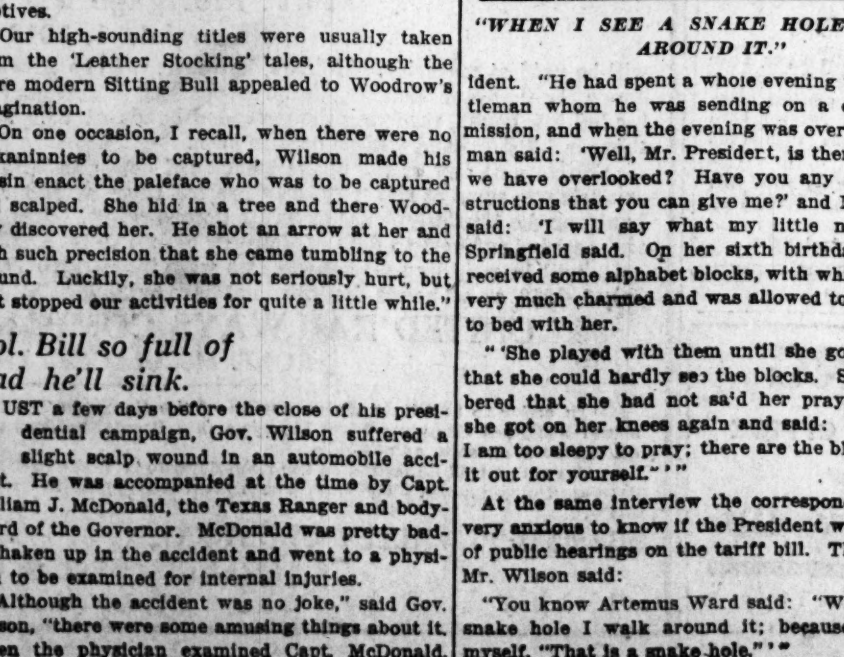
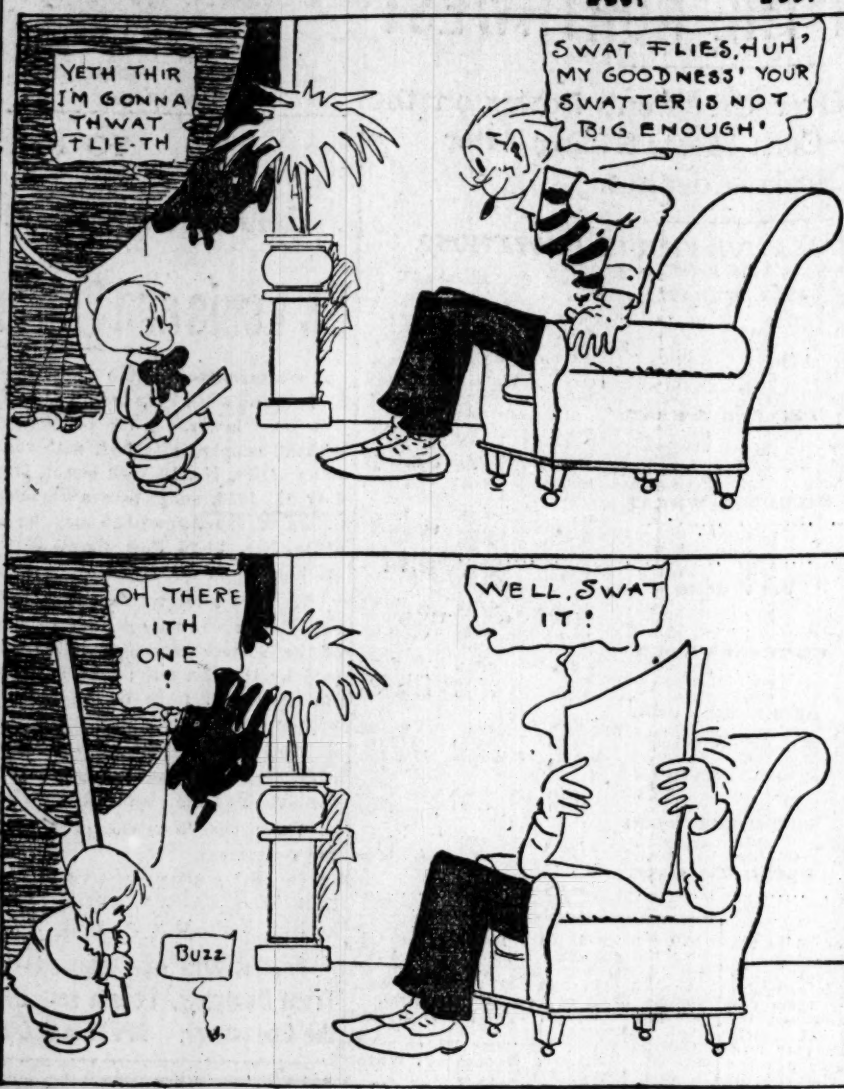
So Mr. Jarr got an order from the boss, after much waiting and grumbling. Then he had it entered by Jenkins, the bookkeeper, who murmured something about "office favoritism," after which it had to be scrutinized and initialed by Bowser, the auditor, who said it was very irregular. Very.

And then Johnson paid it out reluctantly in dollar bills, and Mr. Jarr rushed out to get his annual suit of clothes. It was an event of mighty importance, indeed.

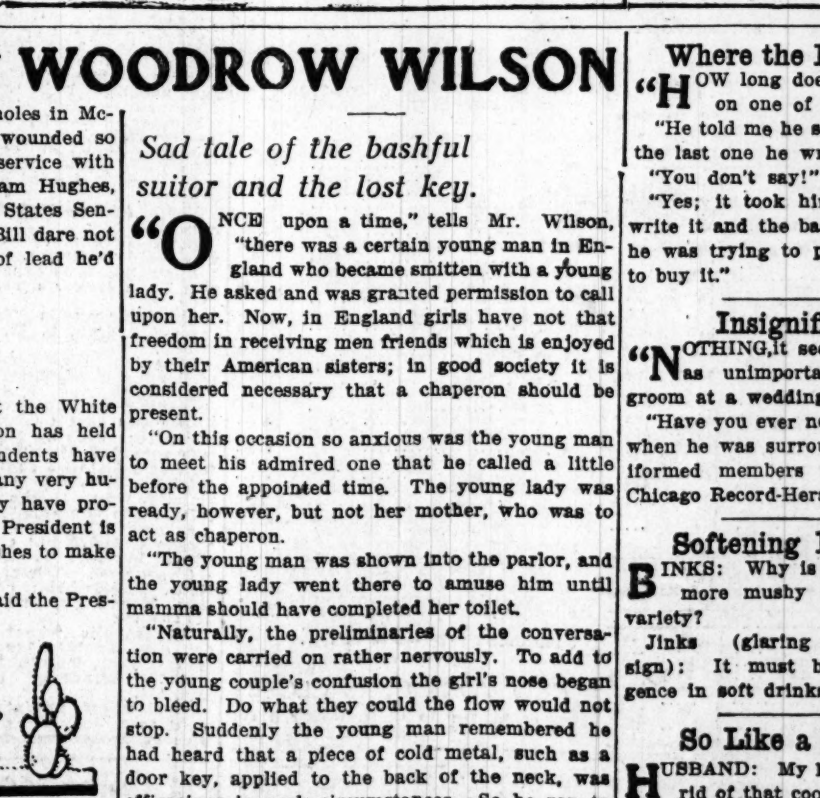
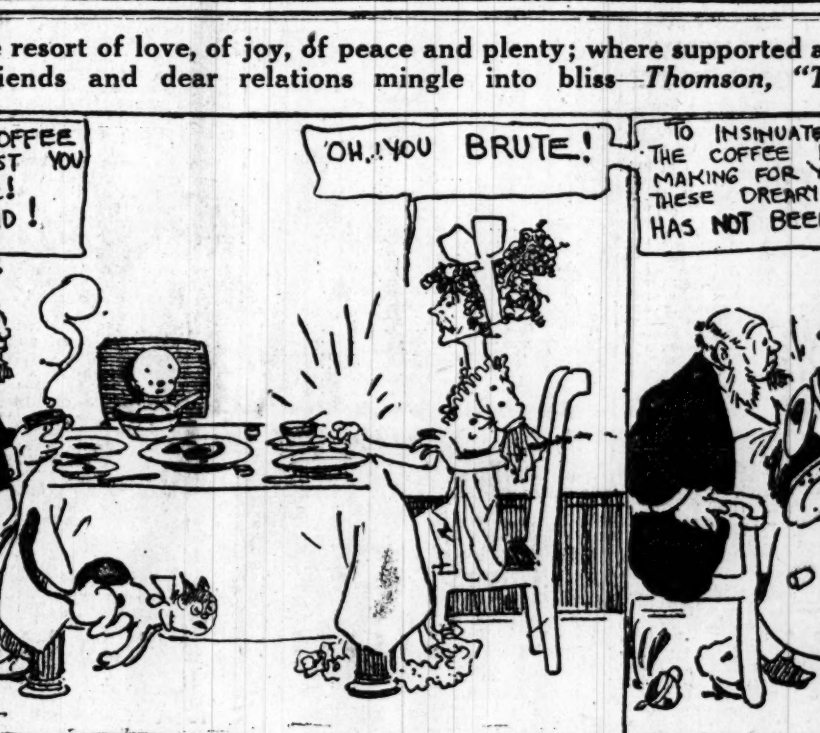
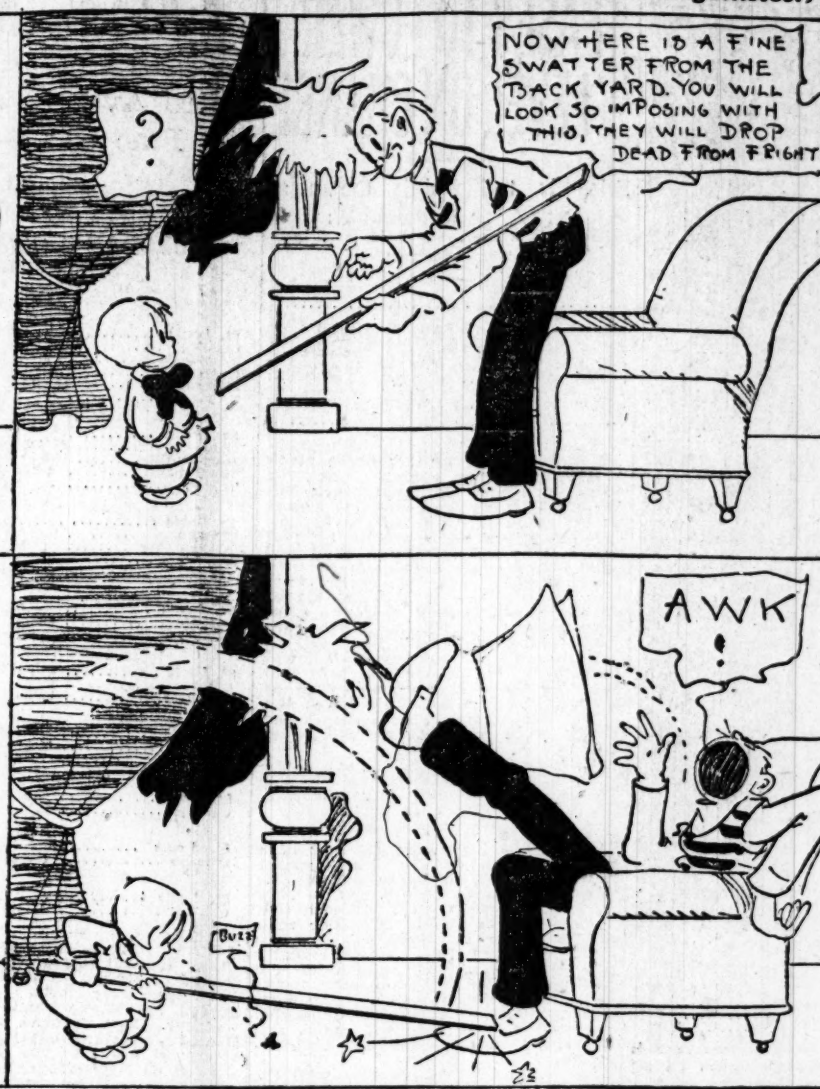
### Bowed With Shame.

THE home team lost. "How do you know?" "My husband is sneaking in the back way."

## S'MATTER POP?



(What boots it at one gate to make defense and at) (another let in the foe.—Milton's Samson Agonistes.)

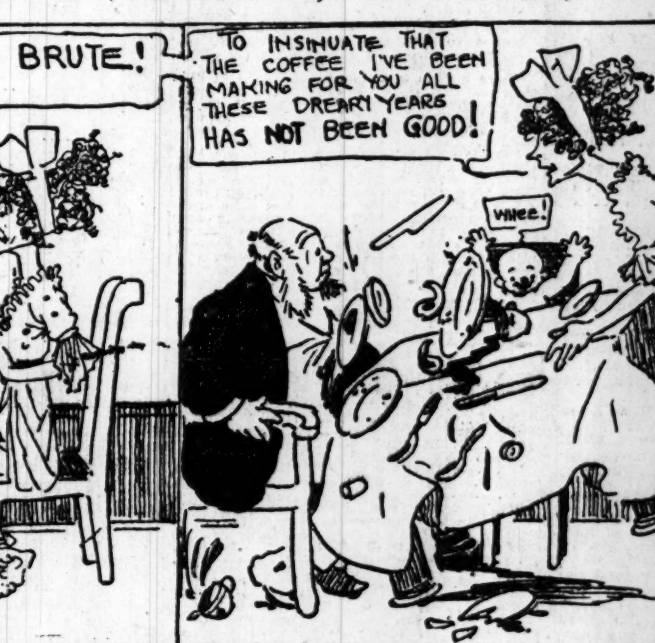
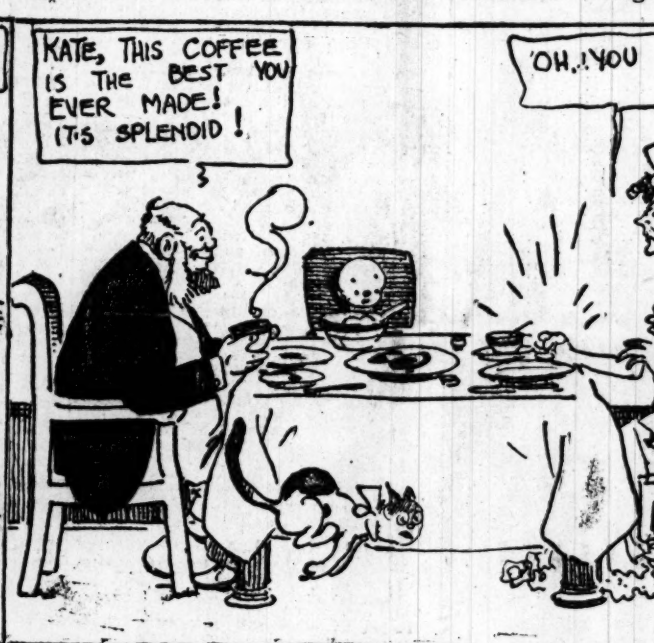


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## HOME WANTED!

(Home is the resort of love, of joy, of peace and plenty; where supported and supporting) (polished friends and dear relations mingle into bliss—Thomson, "The Seasons.")

Drawn for the Post-Dispatch By CLAIRE VICTOR DWIGGINS



## STORIES TOLD BY PRESIDENT WOODROW WILSON

### Wilson, the boy, shot an arrow aimed too well.

THE recent visit to Washington of the Indian chiefs, where they met the "Great White Father," recalled to Pleasant A. Stovall, editor of the Savannah Press, how he and his playmate, Woodrow Wilson, had scalped many a paleface in the woods on the bank of the Savannah River many years ago, when they were boys together.

"Wilson was an enthusiastic red man," said Mr. Stovall. "He was the leader of a tribe consisting

of his little cousin, Jessie Woodrow Bones, and myself. Bedaubed with paint, bedecked in feathers and armed with bow and arrows, we would lie in wait for the little pickaninnies, and with blood-curdling yells make them our unwilling 'white' captives."

"Our high-sounding titles were usually taken from the 'Leather Stocking' tales, although the more modern Sitting Bull appealed to Woodrow's imagination."

"On one occasion, I recall, when there were no pickaninnies to be captured, Wilson made his cousin enact the paleface who was to be captured and scalped. She hid in a tree and there Woodrow discovered her. He shot an arrow at her and with such precision that she came tumbling to the ground. Luckily, she was not seriously hurt, but that stopped our activities for quite a little while."

### Col. Bill so full of lead he'll sink.

JUST a few days before the close of his presidential campaign, Gov. Wilson suffered a slight scalp wound in an automobile accident. He was accompanied at the time by Capt. William J. McDonald, the Texas Ranger and bodyguard of the Governor. McDonald was pretty badly shaken up in the accident and went to a physician to be examined for internal injuries.

"Although the accident was no joke," said Gov. Wilson, "there were some amusing things about it. When the physician examined Capt. McDonald,

he was astonished at the number of holes in McDonald's body. Capt. Bill has been wounded so many times in his thrilling days of service with the Texas Rangers that Judge William Hughes, the Democratic candidate for United States Senator from New Jersey, believes Capt. Bill dare not go swimming, 'because he's so full of lead he'd sink.'"

### Illustrates his position by an apt Lincoln story.

THE semi-weekly conferences at the White House which President Wilson has held with the newspaper correspondents have afforded opportunity to exhibit the many very human traits which he possesses. They have produced many a good story, too, for the President is very fond of illustrating a point he wishes to make by telling a yarn.

"Mr. Lincoln once told this story," said the Pres-

ident. "He had spent a whole evening with a gentleman whom he was sending on a confidential mission, and when the evening was over the gentleman said: 'Well, Mr. President, is there anything we have overlooked? Have you any general instructions that you can give me?' and Mr. Lincoln said: 'I will say what my little neighbor in Springfield said. On her sixth birthday she had received some alphabet blocks, with which she was very much charmed and was allowed to take them to bed with her.'"

"She played with them until she got so sleepy that she could hardly see the blocks. She remembered that she had not said her prayers and so she got on her knees again and said: 'Oh, Lord, I am too sleepy to pray; read the blocks; spell it out for yourself.'"

At the same interview the correspondents were very anxious to know if the President was in favor of public hearings on the tariff bill. This is what Mr. Wilson said:

"You know Artemus Ward said: 'When I see a snake hole I walk around it; because I say to myself, 'That is a snake hole.'"

### Sad tale of the bashful suitor and the lost key.

ONCE upon a time," tells Mr. Wilson, "there was a certain young man in England who became smitten with a young lady. He asked and was granted permission to call upon her. Now, in England girls have not that freedom in receiving men friends which is enjoyed by their American sisters; in good society it is considered necessary that a chaperon should be present."

"On this occasion so anxious was the young man to meet his admired one that he called a little before the appointed time. The young lady was ready, however, but not her mother, who was to act as chaperon."

"The young man was shown into the parlor, and the young lady went there to amuse him until mamma should have completed her toilet."

"Naturally, the preliminaries of the conversation were carried on rather nervously. To add to the young couple's confusion the girl's nose began to bleed. Do what they could the flow would not stop. Suddenly the young man remembered he had heard that a piece of cold metal, such as a door key, applied to the back of the neck, was efficacious in such circumstances. So he ran to

door, seized the key, but in his trepidation, before extracting it, he turned it so that the door was locked."

"Hastening to the young lady, he placed the key to the nape of her neck, but in his nervous anxiety he let go of it and it slipped down her back."

"To make matters just as bad as they could be, at this moment, mamma's footsteps were heard on the stairs."

"Now, I have heard it discussed what should be done in these extremely distressing circumstances," says Mr. Wilson. "For myself, I have always held that the young man had to get that key at any cost!"

### Where the Poet Loses.

HOW long does Pennsion spend on one of his poems?" "He told me he spent six weeks on the last one he wrote."

"Yes; it took him 10 minutes to write it and the balance of the time he was trying to persuade someone to buy it."

### Insignificance.

"NOTHING, it seems to me, looks as unimportant as a bridegroom at a wedding."

"Have you ever noticed a governor when he was surrounded by the uniformed members of his staff?"—Chicago Record-Herald.

### Softening Influence.

BINKS: Why is the summer girl more mushy than the winter variety?

Jinks (glaring at a soda water sign): It must be to over-indulgence in soft drinks.—Judge.

### So Like a Woman.

HUSBAND: My love, we must get rid of that cook. Did you ever see a worse-looking chop than the one I've just put on my plate.

Wife: Yes, dear; the one you've just put on mine!

## Stories St. Louisans Tell

### WHERE WAS MR. ALUMNI?

WASHINGTON University's law school alumni succeeded in demolishing several articles of furniture in a recent banquet and John Cafferatta, in a frenzy, sought reparation of some of the more orderly members of the assembly.

"You have done damages over \$30," explained the irate proprietor.

"That's all right," was the soothing response of one of the guests. "Our alumni will fix that."

"All right, all right," said the excitable Latin. "Show me Mr. Alumni. I talk to heem."

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